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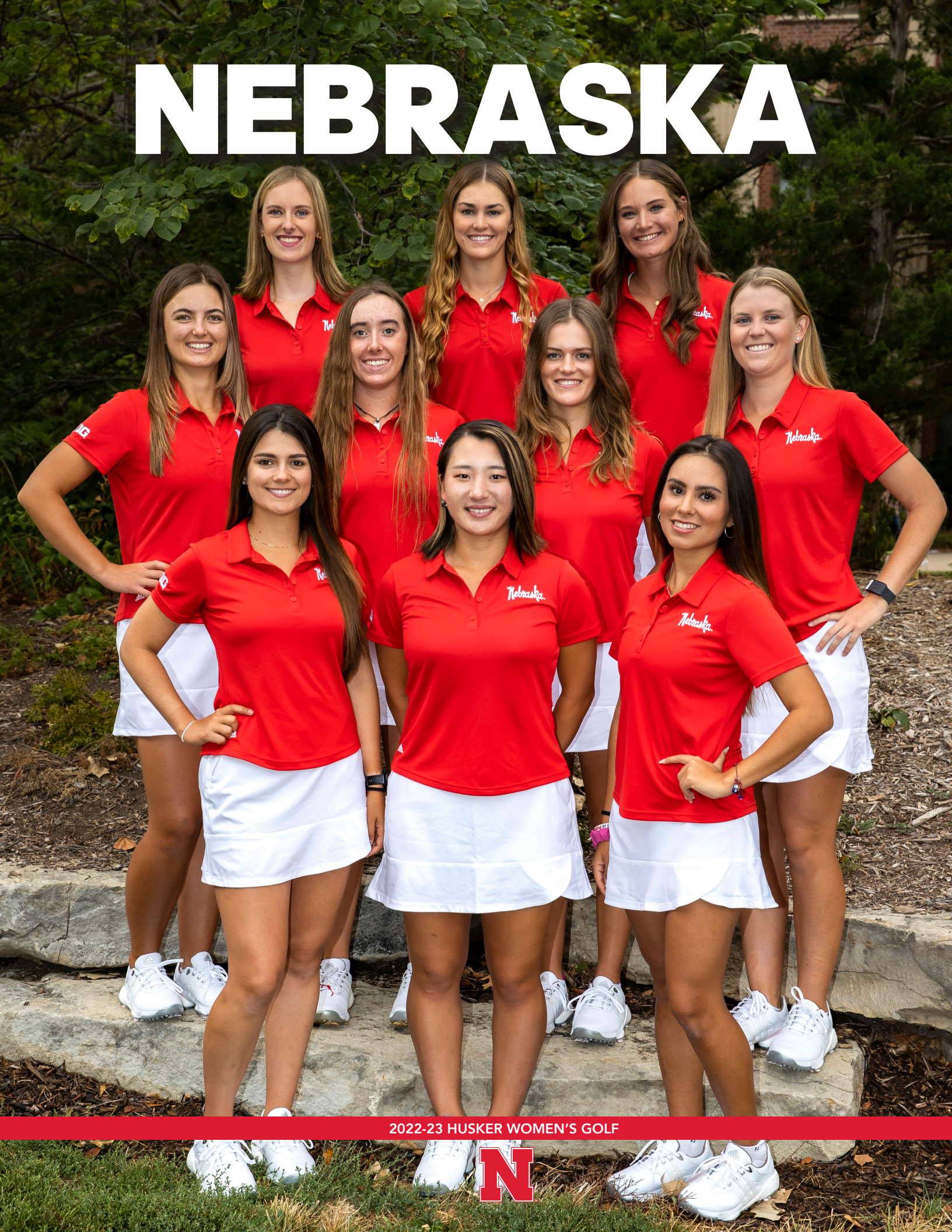

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Michaela Vavrova (left), Megan Whittaker (middle) and Lindsey Thiele (right) lead the Nebraska women's golf program in search of an NCAA Regional bid in 2022-23.

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For up-to-date coverage of NU women's golf, visit Huskers.com, the official website of the University of Nebraska Department of Athletics.

In addition to updated results, statistics and meet recaps, you can find photos, player and coach biographies, schedule and roster information and weekly releases. The site also features webcasts produced by the Huskers Radio Network of Nebraska men's and women's basketball, baseball, softball, volleyball and football, along with Sports Nightly, which airs Monday-Friday.

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the University of Nebraska Athletic Department is to recruit and develop student-athletes who compete and achieve at the highest level in academics, athletics and life served by hard-working, unified, accountable, professionals who lead with integrity, are respectful to all, and have the vision to make Nebraska Athletics elite.

Core Values: Integrity, Trust, Respect, Teamwork, Loyalty
Complementary Core Values: Accountability, Excellence, Hard-working, Inclusion, Service, Visionary

JEANNE SUTHERLAND

Head Coach (First Season) **Northern Iowa (1983)**

Long-time collegiate head coach Jeanne Sutherland was named Nebraska's head coach on May 5, 2022. She originally joined the Husker program as a associate head coach on July 1, 2021.

Sutherland came to Nebraska after spending 10 seasons (2011-2021) as the head coach at SMU. She also spent 15 seasons as the head coach at Texas A&M (1992-2007).

In 2018, Sutherland also was named the inaugural winner of the Women's Golf Coaches Association (WGCA) Kim Evans Award, which is presented annually to the college or high school coach, and Class A PGA Professional, whose support of the game through teaching, coaching and involvement in the community has helped ensure the continued growth of golf, and who represents the finest qualities the sport has to offer. Sutherland also earned the WGCA Founders Award in 2017.

In 2016-17, Sutherland led SMU to its fifth consecutive NCAA Regional berth after producing a runner-up finish at the American Athletic Conference Championship. She also guided the Mustangs to the highest ranking in program history at No. 20 nationally. Three Mustang golfers earned All-AAC honors in 2017.

SMU made an NCAA Regional trip in 2015-16 after producing three All-AAC golfers, including AAC Freshman of the Year Brigitte Dunne. Although SMU's streak of five straight NCAA Regional appearances ended in 2016-17, Dunne advanced to regional play as an individual in both 2017-18 and 2018-19. She was joined in NCAA Regional play in 2017-18 by Mustang teammate Faith Summers.

Sutherland guided the Mustangs to a 10th-place NCAA Regional finish in St. George, Utah in 2014-15, the second-best regional showing in program history. In SMU's first season in the American Athletic Conference (2013-14), Sutherland coached Jenny Hagland to the league's individual championship, before leading the Mustangs to an NCAA Regional berth in San Antonio. In 2012-13, Sutherland began a streak of taking five straight SMU teams to NCAA Regional play, as the Mustangs earned a spot at the Norman Regional.

Prior to her long stay as SMU's head coach, Sutherland spent 15 successful seasons at Texas A&M (1992-2007). A four-time conference coach of the year in Aggieland (3 Big 12, 1 Southwest Conference), Sutherland was also a two-time NCAA Regional Coach of the Year (1997, 2007). She led 13 Texas A&M teams to NCAA Regional play in her 15 years in College Station.

Before Sutherland's arrival at A&M, the Aggies had not won a tournament in seven years, but once she took the reins, Texas A&M captured 13 tournament crowns and three Big 12 Conference titles. In addition to the team's success, Sutherland's players earned three All-America honors, four individual conference titles, 22 regular-season individual titles, 25 all-conference accolades, three conference player-of-the-year awards, two newcomer-of-the-year honors, 17 WGCA Scholastic All-America honors and 50 academic all-conference selections.

Sutherland's Texas A&M teams were perennially ranked in the national top 25, including a highest national ranking of No. 14. She led the Aggies to four NCAA Championship appearances, taking 17th in 1997, 19th in 2006, 22nd in 2005, and 23rd in 2004.

Following her time with the Aggies, Sutherland stepped away from college golf for four years (2007-11) to serve as the Head Professional at the Vail Golf Club in Colorado. She had previously served as an Assistant Golf Professional at Vail for seven years (1985-92).

A PGA and WGCA member, Sutherland also has strong Midwestern ties. She earned her bachelor's degree in secondary education (English) from Northern Iowa in 1983, before earning her master's degree in athletic administration from Iowa in 1989.

A member of the University of Northern Iowa Athletic Hall of Fame, Sutherland was named to the 1981 AIAW Division II All-America Team and the 1981 and 1982 AIAW All-Region 6 teams. As a sophomore at the 1981 AIAW Division II National Championships, she grabbed a third-place individual finish and led the Panthers to a third-place team finish. As a junior, she led UNI to a fifth-place national finish, which included her 13th-place individual performance. A native of Dubuque, she is also a member of the Dubuque Senior High School Athletic Hall of Fame.

COACHING EXPERIENCE

- Head Coach, Nebraska (2022-present)
- Associate Head Coach, Nebraska (2021-22)
- Head Coach, SMU (2011-21, 10 seasons)
- Head Coach, Texas A&M (1992-2007, 15 seasons)

HONORS & AWARDS

- WGCA Kim Evans Award (2018)
- WGCA Founders Award (2017)
- PGA Class A Professional
- NCAA Central Region Coach of the Year (2007)
- NCAA West District Coach of the Year (1997)
- Four-Time Conference Coach of the Year (1995, 1997, 2006, 2007)
- Led 18 Teams to NCAA Regional Appearances
- Led Four Teams to NCAA Championship Appearances (1997, 2004, 2005, 2006)
- Three Big 12 Championship Teams (1998, 2006, 2007)
- Coached Three Individual All-Americans
- Coached Five Individual Conference Champions
- Coached Three Conference Players of the Year

MATT ZEDRICK

Assistant Coach (First Season) **Illinois State (2010)**

Matt Zedrick comes to Nebraska as an assistant coach after spending the 2021-22 season as an assistant at Chattanooga.

Zedrick joined Nebraska Head Coach Jeanne Sutherland's first Husker staff on June 1, 2022, and brought six seasons of head coaching experience at the NCAA Division I level with him to Lincoln.

"We're very happy to add Matt to our staff," Sutherland said. "I've had the privilege to watch him coach over the years and I've always been impressed with his knowledge and ability to communicate with players. His skills in player development and strategy will really add to our ability to compete at the highest levels."

From 2015-16 to 2020-21, Zedrick guided the Purdue Fort Wayne women's golf program to some of the best sucess in program history.

His Mastodon teams rewrote virtually every school record on the course, including a 2020-21 team scoring average of 311.8. Purdue Fort Wayne's top golfers, Holly Anderson and Linnzie Richner set school records for 18, 36 and 54 holes, while Anderson claimed school records for the best season and career stroke averages. Anderson capped her career as a second-team All-Horizon League selection in 2020-21.

In addition to their success on the course, Zedrick's Mastodons claimed 19 WGCA All-America Scholar awards in his six seasons leading the program.

"I want to thank Coach Sutherland, Director of Athletics Trev Alberts and Executive Associate Athletic Director Bob Burton for the opportunity to join Husker Nation and the women's golf program. My family and I are excited to get to Lincoln and get to work."

Prior to his time at Purdue Fort Wayne, Zedrick spent the 2014-15 season as the men's golf head coach at Garden City Community College in Kansas. He guided Skyler Tebo to an NJCAA Championship appearance in 2015. Tebo went on to compete at both UMKC and Fort Hays State.

Zedrick began his college coaching career in 2012-13 as the assistant women's golf coach at Marshall. He spent two seasons with the Herd women's golf team, helping Kristyn Morrone capture Conference USA Newcomer-of-the-Year honors. He also served as an assistant men's golf coach at Marshall in 2014.

Matt and his wife, Gwen, have two daughters, Sophia and Tillie. Originally from Danville, Ill., Matt earned his bachelor's degree in exercise science from Illinois State in 2010. He earned his master's degree in adult education from Marshall in 2014.

Matt's brother, Zac, is the associate men's golf coach at Notre Dame.

COACHING EXPERIENCE

- Assistant Women's Golf Coach, Nebraska (2022-present)
- Assistant Women's Golf Coach, Chattanooga (2021-22)
- Head Women's Golf Coach, Purdue Fort Wayne (2015-21)
- Head Men's Golf Coach, Garden City CC (2014-15)
- Assistant Women's Golf Coach, Marshall (2012-14)
- Assistant Men's Golf Coach, Marshall (2014)
- Head Coach, First Tee of Greater Miami Valley (2010-11)

HONORS & AWARDS

- Coached 19 WGCA All-America Scholars at Fort Wayne
- USGA P.J. Boatwright Jr. Internship Program (2013)

MARQUITA ARMSTEAD

Executive Associate A.D./SWA
First Season
Mississippi State (2005)

Marquita Armstead was hired as Nebraska's Executive Associate Athletic Director and Senior Woman Administrator on Dec. 16, 2021, and she officially began her duties on Feb. 1, 2022. Armstead came to Nebraska from the University of South Florida, where she served in a similar role.

Armstead, who serves as the sport administrator for the Nebraska men's basketball and Husker volleyball programs, also serves as a member of the Big Ten Sport Management Council, and has oversight of athletic medicine, sports psychology, the athletic performance lab (NAPL), strength and conditioning, performance nutrition, Title IX and gender equity.

Armstead was a member of the South Florida athletic administration from March of 2016 to January of 2022. She originally joined USF as Associate Athletic Director for Compliance, before being elevated to Senior Associate Director of Athletics/Senior Woman Administrator in August of 2017.

In her role with the Bulls, Armstead served as the sport administrator for men's and women's basketball, and had previous sport oversight of softball, men's soccer, women's tennis and as the secondary sport administrator for football. Armstead also oversees several USF student-athlete support departments, including academic services, student-athlete enhancement, sports medicine, nutrition, sport psychology, student rights and responsibilities and Title IX.

In addition to her work at USF, Armstead has a strong athletic administration background at four other schools. Before her time at South Florida, Armstead worked at Georgia Tech from 2012 to 2016, where she served as Director of Compliance for her final three years in Atlanta. Prior to Georgia Tech, Armstead was the Director of Compliance at the University of Tennessee Chattanooga for six years. She also served internships in compliance at Mississippi State and Ohio University.

Armstead earned her bachelor's degree from Mississippi State in 2005 and earned a master's of sports administration from the school in 2006. She received a Master of Business Administration degree from Tennessee Chattanooga in 2013 and is a 2012 NCAA Leadership Institute graduate. Armstead is married to Demetric Armstead and the couple has a son, Braylon.

BOB BURTON

Executive Associate A.D./Facilities
25th Season
Nebraska (1985)

Bob Burton serves as Nebraska's Executive Associate Athletic Director for Facilities, handling the facilities master plan for the athletic department. He also serves as the liaison to Haymarket Park, working with the Lincoln Saltdogs to set the budget for field and stadium operation costs and create strategic plans for the facility. Burton is also the sport administrator for the wrestling, swimming and diving, men's and women's golf and bowling programs.

Burton also oversees multiple support areas within the athletic department, including facilities and maintenance, capital planning and construction, event management, equipment, computing services and concessions.

Burton joined the athletic department in 1998 as an associate athletic director for compliance/sports administration. He served in that role until 2007, ensuring that the conduct and operations of Nebraska's athletic teams were in compliance with NCAA, Big 12 and institutional rules and regulations. He also performed as the primary sports administrator for many of Nebraska's teams.

Burton filled a similar position at Oklahoma State as the assistant athletic director for sports administration and compliance from 1993 to 1997. He oversaw OSU's Olympic sports programs as well as the training and strength and conditioning, wrestling, men's and women's track and field and men's and women's tennis programs.

Burton came to Nebraska from Texas Tech, where he served as an associate athletic director for compliance for one year. While at Texas Tech, Burton helped complete the NCAA investigation into the Red Raider athletic department and analyzed the entire compliance system at the institution. He also helped identify and implement financial aid and eligibility systems, including changes in personnel and restructuring of the compliance department.

Burton, who was a member of the NCAA Division I women's soccer committee for three years and was a member of the NCAA Division I bowling committee, served as a legislative administrator for the NCAA from 1989 to 1993. At the NCAA, he was involved in the development of legislation, interpretation of regulations and reviewed legal issues related to the application of the association's regulations. He served as an NCAA liaison to committees and conducted comprehensive education to several intercollegiate athletic conferences. He has served on the National Association of Athletic Compliance Coordinators Executive Committee and the subcommittee of Big 12 Directors of Compliance.

He received his bachelor's degree in finance from Nebraska in 1985 and his juris doctorate from the Nebraska College of Law in 1989. A native of Falls City, Neb., Burton and his wife, Krista, have a daughter, Elly Kathryn, and sons Robert Falk, McClain John and Abram Lawslo.

JEFF GRIESCH

Women's Golf Communications
28th Season

Jeff Griesch is in his 20th season as media relations contact for the Nebraska women's golf program and his 28th season overall with Nebraska Athletics.

Griesch serves as the Senior Associate Communications Director, coordinating all aspects of media relations for the women's basketball and women's golf programs while also coordinating student assignments for Nebraska's sports.

Griesch hires and supervises the student assistants in the Athletic Communications Office, while also serving as the senior editor for all of Nebraska's media guides.

In addition to his supervisory roles, Griesch helps Associate Athletic Director Keith Mann in promoting the Nebraska football program, along with other office duties assigned by Mann.

Griesch enters his 25th season as a radio color commentator for Nebraska women's basketball in 2022-23. He also spent 11 seasons as the host of the Nebraska Women's Basketball TV Show.

He has served as Nebraska women's basketball contact at 12 NCAA Tournaments, including the first two NCAA Sweet 16 bids in school history (2010, 2013). He also has helped promote three first-round WNBA Draft picks (Lindsey Moore, Kelsey Griffin, Nicole Kubik) and two first-team WBCA All-Americans (Griffin, Jordan Hooper).

Griesch spent six years as an assistant director and two years as a graduate intern in the Media Relations Office, after starting his sports information career as a student in October of 1995.

In 2007-08, Griesch's Nebraska's women's basketball media and recruiting guide was voted the third-best guide in the nation by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA). His women's golf guide also finished third in the national contest, the highest rankings in history for both of those publications.

Griesch's 1997-98 wrestling guide was voted "Best in the Nation" by Amateur Wrestling News and finished second in the CoSIDA publications contest. The Nebraska women's soccer guide finished in the top 10 four straight seasons, including a third-place finish in 2000. His 2003-04 women's basketball guide was voted "Best in the District" and 11th in the nation, after finishing 12th and winning "Best in the District" honors in 2001-02.

From 2000 to 2009, Nebraska's media and recruiting publications and posters earned nearly 200 national publication awards from CoSIDA, with Griesch helping to coordinate the printing of those publications.

Griesch earned a bachelor's of journalism degree in news-editorial from Nebraska in 1996. He was the first two-time recipient of the CoSIDA/Wylie Smith Postgraduate Scholarship and was a Regents Scholar as both an undergraduate and graduate student. He served a three-year team as the chair of CoSIDA's prestigious graduate and undergraduate scholarship committee, which has awarded hundreds of thousands of dollars to exceptional candidates in the media relations field since its inception.

Griesch and his wife, Emily, are originally from Wayne, Neb., and have a daughter, Hollan, and three sons, Jackson, Brennan and Isaac.

TREV ALBERTS

Vice Chancellor, Director of Athletics (Second Season) Nebraska (1993)

A veteran administrator and College Football Hall of Famer, Trev Alberts is entering his second year as Vice Chancellor, Director of Athletics at the University of Nebraska in 2022-23. Alberts, who was hired on July 14, 2021, returned to his alma mater after spending 12 years at Nebraska-Omaha, guiding the program through a successful transition to the Division I level.

In his first season at Nebraska in 2021-22, Alberts helped the Huskers navigate the ever-changing landscape of Name, Image and Likeness guidelines for the benefit of Nebraska student-athletes. He led the development of the N-Vest Nebraska program to award $5,980 per year to student-athletes who meet academic benchmarks.

Alberts also spearheaded the charge to complete the fundraising for Nebraska's Go Big Project, which will provide Nebraska football with a new facility scheduled to open in the summer of 2023. The project will also house academic, life skills, nutrition and support services for all Nebraska student-athletes.

A tireless worker who puts both the interests of student-athletes and fans first, Alberts helped orchestrate a qualitative survey of Nebraska's fan base to help shape the future of Memorial Stadium's game-day atmosphere.

Alberts has also focused much of his time on developing the first strategic plan for Nebraska Athletics in 15 years. He has also committed himself to providing intense support and a unifying vision for Nebraska's coaches across all sports.

Nebraska's athletic achievements in 2021-22 included top-five NCAA finishes from Husker volleyball, wrestling and men's gymnastics programs, while the NU women's basketball and softball teams enjoyed breakout seasons that concluded with trips to the 2022 NCAA Tournament. The women's track and field team added a 14th-place finish at the NCAA Outdoor Championships - its best showing since 2006.

Academically, Nebraska student-athletes continued to shine with a school-record 95 percent graduation rate across all sports.

Alberts' tenure leading UNO athletics was marked by successes in competition and in academics; by transitioning the university's athletic programs to NCAA Division I in 2011; and by establishing new homes for many UNO athletics teams, including Baxter Arena, the Maverick Park baseball/softball complex and the soccer pitch at Caniglia Field.

Alberts took the bold step in announcing that Omaha would reclassify from Division II to Division I in all sports in 2011 and simultaneously securing conference affiliation with the Summit League for all of the department's then-Division II programs. His vision for UNO's reclassifying teams was demonstrated even before the four-year transition period had ended. The Omaha baseball team won back-to-back Summit League regular-season championships in 2013 and 2014, while the men's basketball team made its first Division I postseason appearance in 2014 with a berth in the CollegeInsider.com Postseason Tournament.

During UNO's time in the Division I ranks under Alberts tenure, the Mavericks had six teams and four student-athletes qualify for the NCAA Tournament, including hockey advancing to the Frozen Four in 2015 and men's soccer reaching the second round of the NCAA Tournament in the spring of 2021. He also expanded opportunities, adding men's golf and men's soccer in 2011, and Omaha began a men's swimming and diving program in 2021-22.

Throughout his tenure in Omaha, Alberts was focused on enhancing the student-athlete experience, including the construction and staffing of the Hamilton Academic Excellence Room and the development of the Ethel S. Abbott Student-Athlete Development Wing. Those efforts paid off in Nebraska-Omaha student-athletes posting consistent collective semester grade point averages above 3.3 for 18 consecutive semesters, including at least a 3.5 in each of his final three semesters.

The facilities around Omaha Athletics received a major uplift during his tenure. Maverick Park opened in March of 2021 to rave reviews as the home to the Mavericks' baseball and softball programs. Funding for the complex, which includes a 1,500-seat baseball facility and a 650-seat softball facility, were raised privately and provided both programs a permanent on-campus home for the first time.

Another crowning achievement was the opening of Baxter Arena in 2015. Alberts directed efforts to secure community support and funding to build the on-campus arena, which allowed the nationally prominent hockey program to play on campus and also serve as the home of the men's and women's basketball and volleyball programs. Caniglia Field underwent renovations in 2012, making it one of the finest collegiate soccer facilities in the country, highlighted by a FIFA 2-star rated playing surface and one of the largest LED videoboards in a soccer-only college facility.

Alberts' work on behalf of hockey, UNO's established Division I sport, also paid dividends. He successfully guided the Mavericks into the new National Collegiate Hockey Conference in 2013-14. The following year, Omaha reached the 2015 NCAA Frozen Four.

In addition, Alberts and his team led Omaha Athletics into a partnership with Learfield, a national leader in the marketing of collegiate athletics, and developed Omaha Sports Properties. As the exclusive corporate sponsorship sales unit for UNO Athletics, Omaha Sports Properties further enhanced revenue and increased brand prominence locally, regionally and nationally.

As part of UNO's reclassification to Division I, Alberts oversaw the rebranding of UNO athletics with new primary and secondary logos and a greater focus on strengthening the Maverick brand both regionally and nationally.

As a student-athlete, Alberts was an All-American on and off the football field as a Husker Blackshirt. He was Nebraska's first Butkus Award winner in 1993, helping Coach Tom Osborne's Huskers to an undefeated regular season and an Orange Bowl appearance against Florida State. A first-team All-American by every major publication in 1993, he was also the Football News National Defensive Player of the Year, the Big Eight Male Athlete of the Year, and the Big Eight Defensive Player of the Year. His No. 34 jersey was retired at the 1994 Red-White Spring Game. In 2015, he was elected to the College Football Hall of Fame.

Off the field, Alberts earned the NCAA's highest honor, The Today's Top Six Award. A three-time Academic All-Big Eight honoree, he was a CoSIDA Academic All-American in 1993. He graduated from Nebraska before his senior season.

Alberts was the fifth pick in the 1994 NFL Draft by the Indianapolis Colts and played for the Colts until 1996. Following his NFL career, he served as an analyst on college and professional football games for major national networks, including ESPN, CNN/SI and CBS Sports Network.

Alberts and his wife Angela have three children – Chase (and his wife, Cassie), Ashtynne and Breanna.

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1993-2002	—	Bill Byrne
2003-2007	—	Steve Pederson
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2013-2017	—	Shawn Eichorst
2017-2021	—	Bill Moos
2021-Pres.	—	Trev Alberts

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RONNIE GREEN

University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Chancellor
Seventh Year
Virginia Tech (1983)

Dr. Ronnie D. Green is Chancellor of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska's flagship, Land-Grant and Big Ten institution, where he oversees an enrollment of over 25,000 students and 6,000 faculty and staff.

He received bachelor's and master's degrees in animal science from Virginia Tech and Colorado State University, respectively. His doctoral program was completed jointly at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and the USDA-ARS U.S. Meat Animal Research Center in animal breeding and genetics.

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1996-2000	—	James Moeser
2000-2016	—	Harvey S. Perlman
2016-present	—	Ronnie Green

** Interim Chancellor*

Green has served on the animal science faculties of Texas Tech University and Colorado State University, and as the national program leader for animal production research for the USDA's Agricultural Research Service and executive secretary of the White House's interagency working group on animal genomics within the National Science and Technology Council. Prior to returning to NU, Green served as a global executive for Pfizer Animal Health's animal genomics business.

Dr. Green has authored 130 refereed publications and abstracts, nine book chapters and 56 invited symposia papers, and has delivered invited presentations in 43 U.S. states and 21 countries around the world. He is a past-president of both the American Society of Animal Science (ASAS) and the National Block and Bridle Club and has served in several leadership positions for the U.S. Beef Improvement Federation, National Cattlemen's Beef Association, National Pork Board, National Research Council of the National Academy of Sciences, Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities, and Alpha Gamma Rho national fraternity. He currently is a member of several boards, including the Big Ten Council of Presidents and Chancellors, Neogen Corporation, and Supporters of Agricultural Research. He is a member of the Presidential Forum of the NCAA representing the Big Ten Conference, an inaugural member of the NCAA Division I Board Infractions Process Committee and was recently named a member of the Blue-Ribbon Panel of the National Academies to look at Enhancing Land Grant Coordination and Cooperation. He was named a fellow of ASAS in 2014 and a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in 2015. In 2017 Dr. Green was honored with the American Society of Animal Science's Morrison Award, the highest international academic recognition for an animal scientist.

Ronnie and his wife Jane, a double UNL alumna, are the proud parents of four children – Justin, Nate, Kelli and Regan – all UNL graduates, and one granddaughter, Charlotte.

SCOTT FUESS JR.

Faculty Athletic Representative
Third Year
Delaware (1982)

Scott M. Fuess Jr. is in his third year as Nebraska's Faculty Athletics Representative, having started on July 1, 2020.

As faculty athletics representative, Fuess serves as a liaison between the Office of the Chancellor and Athletic Department. He also serves on the Athletic Department's Executive Staff. His areas of focus in the role include the welfare of student-athletes, NCAA and Big Ten Conference compliance, maintaining the positive relationship between athletics and faculty, developing and responding to NCAA legislative proposals and representing the university at related NCAA and Big Ten Conference meetings.

NEBRASKA FACULTY REPS

1931-1946	—	T.J. Thompson
1947-1958	—	Earl Fullbrook
1959-1964	—	Charles S. Miller
1965-1968	—	Merk Hobson
1969-1970	—	John R. Davis
1971-1982	—	Keith L. Broman
1982-1997	—	James O'Hanlon
1997-2020	—	Josephine Potuto
2020-Present	—	Scott Fuess Jr.

The half-time position - which was restructured to an expected term of five years - reports directly to Chancellor Ronnie Green and consults with Athletic Director Trev Alberts. He splits time between faculty representative duties and academic responsibilities.

Fuess, the Steinhart Distinguished Professor of Business and former chair of the College of Business' economics department, has worked at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln since 1986. He serves on the Faculty Senate's Intercollegiate Athletics Committee, having chaired the committee for 2018-19 and a sub-committee in 2017-18. He also has served on numerous Big Ten Conference committees, including the Sports Management Committee, the Compliance and Reinstatement Committee and the Legislative Review Committee.

Fuess earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Delaware, as well as master's and doctoral degrees from Purdue University. His research interests are labor economics, the economics of collegiate sports, and the economy of Japan. He has earned numerous "Distinguished Teaching" awards. In 2016 he received the UNL College of Business "Distinguished Service" award.

TED CARTER

University of Nebraska President
Third Year
U.S. Naval Academy (1981)

Ted Carter became the eighth president of the University of Nebraska on Jan. 1, 2020, following a national search by the Board of Regents.

As president, Carter leads a four-campus university system that enrolls nearly 52,000 students and employs 16,000 faculty and staff on campuses in Lincoln, Omaha and Kearney, plus academic divisions and research and extension centers across the state. He serves as chief spokesman and chief executive officer for the system, which operates on a $2.8 billion annual budget and includes a flagship Big Ten institution, a world-renowned academic health sciences center, Division I athletics programs, and preeminent institutes focused on water and agriculture, national security and defense, infectious disease and early childhood education.

Carter brought with him a distinguished record in education, partnerships and military service, having come to Nebraska from the U.S. Naval Academy, his alma mater, where he served as superintendent. Under his leadership, the Naval Academy achieved a No. 1 national ranking and new records in student success and diversity. Carter previously was president of the U.S. Naval War College in Newport, R.I. A retired Vice Admiral with 38 years of service, Carter has logged more than 6,300 flying hours and holds the American record for carrier-arrested landings.

NEBRASKA PRESIDENTS

1968-1969	—	Clifford Hardin
1970-1976	—	Durwood B. Varner
1977-1989	—	Ronald Roskens
1989-1994	—	Martin A. Massengale
1994-2004	—	L. Dennis Smith
2014-2015	—	James Linder*
2015-2019	—	Hank M. Bounds
2019-2019	—	Susan Fritz*
2020-Present	—	Walter "Ted" Carter

** Interim President*

In his first year at the University of Nebraska – faced with the unexpected and unprecedented challenges presented by COVID-19 – Carter led with a focus on the land-grant priorities of access and opportunity for students and families. He launched the Nebraska Promise, a financial aid program guaranteeing free tuition for low- and middle-income Nebraskans, and implemented a multi-year budget plan that included a two-year, across-the-board tuition freeze. The result was system-wide growth in enrollment, including record gains among underrepresented students.

Carter oversaw the awarding of a $92 million federal contract for the university's National Strategic Research Institute, one of only 14 University-Affiliated Research Centers in the country conducting exclusive research for the Department of Defense. During Carter's tenure, the NU system has been ranked among the world's top 100 institutions for earning research patents, the Omaha campus was selected as the home for a new federal counterterrorism research center, the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources launched a new effort focused on rural vitality, and the medical center opened an education, training and preparedness facility that positions Nebraska as the world leader in the fight against infectious disease.

Carter holds a courtesy faculty appointment in aviation in the College of Public Affairs and Community Service at the University of Nebraska at Omaha. He serves as the chair of the Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute's Board of Directors and is a board member for the Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce, the Nebraska Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Naval Historical Foundation and the Naval Aviation Museum Foundation.Carter is also a member of the Aspen Institute's Higher Education Working Group and the Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities' Council of Presidents. He is an ex-officio member on the board of the University of Nebraska Foundation, the philanthropic partner of the university system that has a $1.7 billion endowment.

Carter earned his bachelor's degree in physics and oceanography from the U.S. Naval Academy, where he played hockey and served as team captain. He is a graduate of the Navy Fighter Weapons School (Top Gun) and holds educational credentials from the Navy Nuclear Power School, the U.S. Air Force Air War College, the Naval War College and the Armed Forces Staff College. Carter's military career includes service for the Carrier Strike Group Twelve, in which he commanded 20 ships, two nuclear-powered aircraft carriers, and two carrier wings that were deployed to Afghanistan and the Arabian Gulf.

The son of an English teacher, Carter was raised in the rural, one-high school town of Burrillville, R.I. He and his wife, Lynda, live in Lincoln and have two adult children, Brittany and Christopher.

UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

The Board of Regents consists of eight voting members elected by district for six-year terms, and four non-voting student Regents, one from each campus, who serve during their tenure as student body president. The board supervises the general operations of the university, and the control and direction of all expenditures. The board also includes a corporation secretary who manages all records including agendas, minutes, notices, policies and bylaws. Those documents can be found on the web at nebraska.edu/board/.

The board meets regularly, primarily in Lincoln but also in Omaha and greater Nebraska. Persons wishing to provide information to the board or to appear before it should contact: Corporation Secretary, University of Nebraska, Varner Hall, 3835 Holdrege, Lincoln, NE 68583.

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HUSKERS HUNT FOR 2023 NCAA REGIONAL BID

Graduate student Megan Whittaker enjoyed an outstanding summer of 2022, sweeping the Nebraska Women's Match Play and Nebraska Women's Amateur championships. The fifth-year golfer from Elkhorn, Neb., also qualified for the U.S. Women's Amateur Championship.

A season after coming up just short in pursuit of a second consecutive NCAA Regional berth, the Nebraska women's golf team will hunt for a spot in the 2023 NCAA Regional Championships for first-year head coach Jeanne Sutherland.

While Sutherland will be in her first season leading the Huskers, she carries a long track record of success in NCAA Tournament play.

The two-time NCAA Regional Coach of the Year and four-time conference coach of the year has guided 18 teams to NCAA Regional appearances, including four teams to NCAA Championship bids.

"I spent the past season building relationships with our players, which should help us continue the success that Coach Lisa Johnson built in recent years," Sutherland said. "I want to thank Coach Johnson for giving me the opportunity to serve as her assistant and continue to do what I love most. I want to thank Athletic Director Trev Alberts for having the confidence in my ability and leadership to move the Nebraska program forward."

Sutherland, who spent 2021-22 as the associate head coach for the Huskers, returns several key golfers for the 2022-23 campaign.

Megan Whittaker is back as a leader on and off the course for the Big Red. The graduate student from Elkhorn, Neb., produced a 74.04 stroke average last season to rank second among the Huskers. She notched seven consecutive top-25 finishes and a 3-0 mark at the Big Ten Match Play before settling for a tie for 33rd at the 2022 Big Ten Championship.

Whittaker then put together an outstanding summer that included a sweep of the Nebraska Women's Amateur and the Nebraska Women's Match Play championships. She also competed at the U.S. Women's Amateur, missing the cut by just two strokes.

While Sutherland, Whittaker and the Huskers will need to make up for the loss of two of their top three golfers (Kirsten Baete, 73.94) and Vanessa Bouvet (74.67), the Big Red will be bolstered by the return of juniors Michaela Vavrova and Lindsey Thiele. Vavrova and Thiele have both been regulars in the Nebraska lineup the past two seasons.

Vavrova (Bojnice, Slovakia) was Nebraska's No. 2 finisher at the 2022 Big Ten Championship, tying for 17th in her third top-20 finish of the season. Earlier in 2021-22, Vavrova claimed her first career collegiate title at Stampede at The Creek.

Thiele (Wahoo, Neb.), who competed for Nebraska at the 2021 Big Ten Championship, added her first career collegiate title by sharing medalist honors with teammate Nicole Hansen at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in September of 2021.

Sophomore Miu Takahashi adds more experience for the 2022-23 Huskers. The second-year golfer from Japan returns after competing in 29 rounds as a true freshman a year ago. Her 29 rounds trailed only NCAA Regional qualifier Kirsten Baete among the Huskers.

Takahashi tied for fifth at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational, before adding a tie for 18th at The Molly Collegiate. She also tied for 25th at the White Sands Intercollegiate to help the Huskers to a runner-up team finish.

Sophomores Andrea Velez (Colombia) and Lena Hassert (Germany) will be looking for greater contributions in their second seasons on the course for the Huskers, after both competed in nine rounds in their first year as letterwinners in 2021-22.

Redshirt freshman Brooke Bream (Phoenix, Ariz.) also will be looking to make her first contributions to the Nebraska lineup after spending the 2021-22 season as a walk-on to the Husker program.

A trio of talented newcomers led by USA Today High School All-American Kelli Ann Strand will also get their chances to contribute.

Strand, a true freshman from the small town of Challis, Idaho, comes to Nebraska as one of the most accomplished recruits in school history. The three-time Idaho Class 2A state champion has been ranked as high as No. 308 in the World Amateur Golf Rankings (WAGR).

The leading contender to win a second straight Idaho Golf Association Women's Player of the Year award, Strand won the 2022 Idaho Women's Match Play title while taking second at the Idaho Women's Amateur. She also qualified and advanced to Match Play at the U.S. Girls Junior Amateur. She took second at the Girls Junior Americas Cup for the second straight year while adding a third-place finish at the IMG Academy Junior World Championship.

Nebraska's freshman class is bolstered by German Junior National Team member Sydney Harz. Ariel Gonzalez (Mexico) adds another talented young international player to the Husker roster.

Overall, Nebraska's 10-player roster features golfers from six countries (Colombia, Germany, Japan, Mexico, Slovakia, United States).

Nebraska's young and talented team will face an impressive schedule again in 2022-23. The Huskers open the season at the Green Wave Classic at the Bayou Oaks South Golf Club in New Orleans (Sept. 12-13). In the spring of 2021, the Huskers brought home a team title with them from Tulane's tournament.

In the second competition of the 2022 fall campaign, the Huskers will travel to University Ridge Golf Course in Madison, Wis., to play in the Badger Invitational (Sept. 18-20).

After playing in the Big O Classic co-hosted by Creighton and Omaha at Oak Hills Country Club (Oct. 3-4), the Huskers will make a return trip to Oklahoma for the Dale McNamara Invitational. The Big Red finished second in the 13-team field at Tulsa's tournament in the fall of 2021. The 2022 version will be played at Cedar Ridge Golf Club in Broken Arrow.

Nebraska will then try to defend a tournament title at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational (Oct. 17-18). Last season in Manhattan, Kan., Nebraska's four-player "B" squad won the tournament with Lindsey Thiele sharing medalist honors with

teammate Nicole Hansen. This fall, the Huskers will take aim at a challenging layout and tournament field at the Lawrence Country Club.

Nebraska will close its fall campaign for the second straight season in a tournament hosted by the University of Miami. This season, the Huskers travel to the Hurricane Invitational (Oct. 31-Nov. 1) at the Biltmore Golf Club in Miami. Last season, the Huskers brought home a runner-up team finish at the White Sands Invitational at Paradise Island, Bahamas. Nebraska's Kirsten Baete brought home the individual title from Miami's tournament a year ago.

The Big Red will take a three-month break from competition before opening the spring portion of its schedule back in Florida at the FAU Paradise Invitational (Feb. 6-7). The two-day event at Osprey Point Golf Club in Boca Raton will mark the first time since the 2009-10 season that Nebraska has played two events in the state of Florida in the same season. It will also be the first time since 2006-07 that the Huskers have played back-to-back tournaments in the Sunshine State.

Nebraska will play its second tournament of the season hosted by Wisconsin when the Huskers travel to Peoria, Ariz., for the Westbrook Spring Invitational (Feb. 26-27). The Big Red finished second in a 14-team field with an 853 (-11) team score in 2021. In 2019, Nebraska won the team title at Westbrook Village with an identical score of 853.

Nebraska continues the spring with a return to the Briar's Creek Invitational hosted by the College of Charleston in John's Island, S.C. (March 13-14), before heading back to Airizona for the Mountain View Collegiate hosted by Kansas State (March 17-19).

NU is back in Oklahoma for The Bruzzy, hosted by North Texas at Dornick Hills Golf and Country Club in Ardmore (April 1-2), before closing the regular season with a return trip to the Lady Buckeye Invitational on the Scarlet Course in Columbus, Ohio (April 15-16).

The Huskers hope to contend for the conference title at the Big Ten Championship at the Fox Chapel Golf Club in Pittsburgh (April 21-23).

NCAA Regionals are scheduled to be held in Athens, Ga., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., Pullman, Wash., Raleigh, N.C., San Antonio, Texas and Westfield, Ind. (May 8-10), before the NCAA Championship returns to the Grayhawk Golf Club in Scottsdale, Ariz. (May 19-24).

Michaela Vavrova returns for her third season in the Nebraska lineup. The junior from Bojnice, Slovakia was NU's No. 2 finisher at the 2022 Big Ten Championship.

ROSTER & SCHEDULE

Lindsey Thiele returns for her third season as a Husker hoping to make a lasting impact on the Nebraska lineup. Thiele posted a 76.89 stroke average over 18 rounds last season and was the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational co-champion.

2022-23 NEBRASKA ROSTER

Name	Year	Hometown (High School/Previous School)
Brooke Bream	RFr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Xavier College Prep)
Ariel Gonzalez	Fr.	Merida, Mexico
Sydney Harz	Fr.	Freiburg, Germany
Lena Hassert*	So.	Kreuzau, Germany (Gymnasium Kreuzau)
Kelli Ann Strand	Fr.	Challis, Idaho (Challis)
Lindsey Thiele**	Jr.	Wahoo, Neb. (Bishop Neumann)
Michaela Vavrova**	Jr.	Bojnice, Slovakia (Slovak National Team)
Andrea Velez*	So.	Pereira, Colombia (Liceo Frances de Pereira)
Miu Takahashi*	So.	Nasu-machi, Japan (Kaishi Kokusai)
Megan Whittaker****	Gr.	Elkhorn, Neb. (Elkhorn South)

* Denotes letters earned at Nebraska

Head Coach: Jeanne Sutherland, First Season **Assistant Coach:** Matt Zedrick, First Season

HUSKERS BY MAJOR

Advertising & Public Relations: Ariel Gonzalez
Business Analytics (Graduate): Megan Whittaker
Business & Law: Sydney Harz
Economics: Brooke Bream
Finance: Andrea Velez, Megan Whittaker
Hospitality, Restaurant & Tourism Management: Michaela Vavrova
Psychology: Lindsey Thiele
Sports Media & Communication: Miu Takahashi
Supply Chain Management: Lena Hassert
Undeclared: Kelli Ann Strand

HUSKERS BY STATE/COUNTRY

Arizona (1): Brooke Bream
Idaho (1): Kelli Ann Strand
Nebraska (2): Lindsey Thiele, Megan Whittaker
Colombia (1): Andrea Velez
Germany (2): Sydney Harz, Lena Hassert
Japan (1): Miu Takahashi
Mexico (1): Ariel Gonzalez
Slovakia (1): Michaela Vavrova

2022-23 NEBRASKA SCHEDULE

Date	Event (Location)	Time
Sept. 12-13	Green Wave Classic (Bayou Oaks South GC, New Orleans)	8 a.m.
Sept. 18-20	Badger Invitational (University Ridge GC, Madison, Wis.)	9 a.m.
Oct. 3-4	Big O Classic (Oak Hills CC, Omaha, Neb.)	9 a.m.
Oct. 10-11	Dale McNamara Invitational (Cedar Ridge GC, Broken Arrow, Okla.)	9 a.m.
Oct. 17-18	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational (Lawrence CC, Lawrence, Kan.)	9 a.m.
Oct. 31-Nov. 1	Hurricane Invitational (Biltmore GC, Miami, Fla.)	8 a.m.
Feb. 6-7	FAU Paradise Invitational (Osprey Point GC, Boca Raton, Fla.)	8 a.m.
Feb. 26-27	Westbrook Spring Invitational (Westbrook Village GC, Peoria, Ariz.)	10 a.m.
March 13-14	Briar's Creek Invitational (The Golf Club at Briar's Creek, John's Island, S.C.)	8 a.m.
March 17-19	Mountain View Collegiate (Mountain View GC, Tucson, Ariz.)	10 a.m.
April 1-2	The Bruzzy Invitational (Dornick Hills Golf & CC, Ardmore, Okla.)	9 a.m.
April 15-16	Lady Buckeye Invitational (Scarlet Course, Columbus, Ohio)	8 a.m.
April 21-23	Big Ten Championship (Fox Chapel Golf Club, Pittsburgh, Pa.)	8 a.m.
May 8-10	NCAA Regionals Georgia, Miami, Washington State, NC State, San Antonio, Westfield, Ind.	9 a.m.
May 19-24	NCAA Championships (Grayhawk GC, Scottsdale, Ariz.)	10 a.m.

All dates and times central and subject to change.

MEGAN WHITTAKER

Graduate (Four Letters) **Elkhorn, Nebraska (Elkhorn South)**

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

A hard-working golfer who has shown impressive improvement throughout her four collegiate seasons, Megan Whittaker returns to lead Nebraska in the hunt for an NCAA Regional bid in 2022-23. The graduate student from Elkhorn, Neb., produced Nebraska's No. 2 stroke average (74.04) in 2021-22, just missing an individual NCAA Regional bid. She trailed only NCAA Regional qualifier Kirsten Baete (73.94) among the Huskers.

Whittaker is coming off a big summer that included a sweep of the Nebraska women's match play and stroke play championships and a berth in the U.S. Women's Amateur.

Whittaker produced the first two top-10 individual finishes of her career while matching Baete and Vanessa Bouvet for the team lead with seven top-25 performances in 2021-22.

A star in the classroom and the community, Whittaker earned her bachelor's degree in finance in May of 2022, and is a four-time WGCA Scholastic All-American, a three-time Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and a three-time Academic All-Big Ten selection. In the community, she earned a prestigious Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award at Nebraska in 2021. She was also Nebraska's 2021 Big Ten Sportsmanship Award winner for women's golf.

Whittaker's ties to Nebraska women's golf are very strong, as her mother Kim (Lefler) lettered as a golfer for the Huskers from 1991 to 1994, helping Nebraska advance to the 1994 NCAA West Regional as a senior.

SENIOR (2021-22)

Whittaker continued to be a leader for Nebraska throughout her fourth season in 2021-22, producing the second-best season stroke average by a Husker (74.04).

She entered the season with just one career collegiate round under par, but notched five rounds under par during the year while also producing her first two top-10 tournament finishes as a collegian. A model of consistency, Whittaker matched Kirsten Baete and Vanessa Bouvet for the team lead with seven top-25 individual finishes on the year.

After a strong fall, Whittaker opened the spring on fire by going 3-0 for the Huskers at the Big Ten Match Play (Jan. 31-Feb. 1). She then fired a career-best 211 (-5) to tie for seventh at the Westbrook Spring Invitational (Feb. 27-28). Whittaker's performance in Peoria, Ariz., helped Nebraska to a runner-up team finish and included a career-best-tying 69 in the final round, after opening with rounds of 70 and 72. It marked her second top-10 effort of the season and earned her the first Big Ten Golfer-of-the-Week Award of her career (March 2).

Whittaker began spring stroke play with a tie for 24th with a 233 at the Tulane Classic (Feb. 13-15), before adding a tie for 18th with a 220 (71-73-76) to lead Nebraska at the Briar's Creek Invitational on John's Island, S.C. (March 14-15).

She added a tie for 23rd with a 223 (79-80-74) in challenging scoring conditions against a strong field at the Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational (April 15-16) on the Scarlet Course in Columbus, Ohio. It was her seventh top-25 finish of the season and ninth of her career.

Whittaker capped her season with a tie for 33rd with another 223 (77-72-74) at the 2022 Big Ten Championship. Whittaker helped the Huskers to a seventh-place finish on the par-71 layout at the Fox Chapel Golf Club in Pittsburgh (April 22-24).

After a rough start to the 2021 season, Whittaker rebounded quickly. She tied for 58th (230) at the Wolverine Invitational in Ann Arbor, Mich. (Sept. 13-14), before tying for 23rd (226) at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in Manhattan, Kan. (Sept. 20-21).

She followed with a breakout performance with a career-best tie for sixth with a 215 (-1) at the Dale McNamara Invitational (Oct. 11-12). Her performance featured rounds of 70 (-2), 74 and 71 (-1) on the par-72, 6,200-yard layout at The Golf Club of Oklahoma in Broken Arrow to help Nebraska to a runner-up team finish.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Two Career Top-10 Finishes (2, 2021-22)
- Nine Career Top-25 Finishes (7, 2021-22)
- U.S. Women's Amateur Qualifier (2022)
- Nebraska Women's Amateur Champion (2022)
- Nebraska Women's Match Play Champion (2022)
- Big Ten Golfer of the Week (March 2, 2022)
- Tied for 18th at Big Ten Championship (2021)
- Tied for 33rd at Big Ten Championship (2022)
- Tied for 51st at Big Ten Championship (2019)
- Tied for 69th at NCAA Columbus Regional (2021)
- Harvest at Indian Creek Champion (October 2020)
- WGCA Scholastic All-American (2019, 2020, 2021, 2022)
- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2020, 2021, 2022)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2020, 2021, 2022)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021; Spring 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022)
- Big Ten Sportsmanship Award (2021)
- Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award (2021)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019, 2020, 2021, 2022)
- Two-Time Nebraska Class A State Champion (2016, 2017)
- Three-Time Nebraska Super-State (2014, 2016, 2017)
- Four-Time Nebraska Class A State Team Champions (Elkhorn South, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017)
- Nebraska Girls State Match Play Champion (2016)

WHITTAKER'S CAREER BESTS

Best Finish ..... T6th (Dale McNamara, 2021)
Best Event (Strokes)..... 211 (Westbrook, 2022)
Low Round..... 69 (Westbrook, 3rd, 2022)
..... 69 (Battle at the Beach, 2nd, 2019)
Low First Round ..... 70 (Westbrook, 2022)
..... 70 (Dale McNamara, 2021)
Low Second Round ..... 69 (Golfweek, 2019)
Low Third Round..... 69 (Westbrook, 2022)
Career Rounds Under Par..... 6

WHITTAKER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Low
2018-19	21	1,634	77.81	73
2019-20	14	1,080	77.14	69
2020-21	18	1,414	78.56	72
2021-22	27	1,999	74.04	69
Totals	**80**	**6,127**	**76.59**	**69**

PERSONAL

Megan is the daughter of Albert and Kim (Lefler) Whittaker. Megan was born Sept. 22, 2000 in Omaha. She has a younger brother, Andrew. Megan, who majored in finance, earned her bachelor's degree from Nebraska in May 2022. She is pursuing a master's degree in business analytics. She is a four-time WGCA Scholastic All-American and a three-time Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and Academic All-Big Ten selection. She has claimed eight spots on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll. A Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award winner in 2021, Whittaker is a four-time member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team. She chose Nebraska over Omaha, South Dakota, Idaho, Montana, Northern Arizona and Wyoming.

Whittaker closed the fall in a tie for 13th with a 218 (+2) to help the Huskers to another runner-up team finish at the White Sands Intercollegiate in the Bahamas (Oct. 22-24). She produced solid rounds of 72-74-72 on the 6,415-yard layout of the Ocean Club at Paradise Island.

JUNIOR (2020-21)

Whittaker helped Nebraska's push for a runner-up finish at the 2021 Big Ten Conference Championship.

She opened the tournament with an even-par 72 on the 6,300-yard layout at TPC River's Bend in Maineville, Ohio. She followed with rounds of 73 and 74 to post a then-career-best three-round total of 219 (+3) to finish in a tie for 18th individually. Her second career top-20 finish also helped propel the Huskers to their best team finish in Big Ten history and NU's best finish at a conference tournament since taking second at the 1984 Big Eight Championship. She helped the Huskers to their first NCAA Regional appearance since 2008.

Whittaker was Nebraska's No. 4 finisher individually at the 2021 NCAA Columbus Regional, tying for 69th with a 232 (76-82-74) on the 6,358-yard, par-72 layout of Ohio State's Scarlet Course. She closed the season with a 78.56 stroke average over 18 spring rounds.

In October of 2020, Whittaker won The Harvest at Indian Creek (76-73-76-225) hosted by the Nebraska Golf Association.

She opened the 2021 collegiate season by earning a lineup spot at the SMU Trinity Forest Invitational in Dallas (Feb. 1-2). She tied for 65th in the talent-laden field with a three-round total of 240 (83-77-80). Whittaker returned to the Nebraska lineup at the Bruin Wave Invitational in Somis, Calif. (March 1-3) and was NU's No. 3 individual finisher. Her three-round total of 244 came in extremely challenging scoring conditions and allowed her to tie for 45th in a loaded 82-golfer field. Whittaker earned a lineup spot at the Arizona Wildcat Invitational in Tucson (March 8-9) and finished 76th with a 246 (81-83-82).

Whittaker did not compete in Nebraska's tournament win at the Allstate Sugar Bowl Intercollegiate (March 14-16), but she returned to the lineup at the Indiana Spring Invitational (April 17-18). She fired a 233 (77-78-78) to help the Huskers tie for sixth in a loaded 16-team field that featured 14 top-100 teams. Whittaker tied for 65th individually in the 98-player field.

SOPHOMORE (2019-20)

Whittaker continued to show constant growth and improvement in her second season at Nebraska. She ranked second among the Huskers with a 74.82 stroke average over 11 rounds in the fall of 2019.

Whittaker produced a season-best tie for 16th with a 154 (79-75) in challenging scoring conditions at the rain-shortened Edean Ihlanfeldt Invitational in Sammamish, Wash. (Oct. 8-9). She closed the fall in a tie for 36th with a 223 (79-69-75) in a strong 87-player field in the Battle at the Beach in San Jose Del Cabo, Mexico (Nov. 1-3). Whittaker's second-round 69 (-3) was a career best to help her finish with a 54-hole score of 223.

Whittaker opened the fall with a then-career-best 225 (74-76-75) to tie for 45th at the Branch Law Firm/Dick McGuire Invitational in Albuquerque, N.M. (Sept. 9-10). She showed even more growth with a then-career-best 221 (72-74-75) on her way to finishing 33rd at the Golfweek Conference Challenge in Wolcott, Colo. (Sept. 23-25). Her performance in Colorado included an even-par 72 in the opening round, which was a collegiate career best at the time.

She struggled in the first spring tournament, finishing 83rd (87-93-77-257) at the Lady Puerto Rico Classic, and did not play for the Huskers at the Westbrook Spring Invitational. Whittaker finished her sophomore season with a 77.14 stroke average over 14 rounds.

FRESHMAN (2018-19)

Whittaker produced a strong finish for the Huskers as a true freshman. The Elkhorn South High School grad matched Kate Smith for Nebraska's top individual finish at the Big Ten Championship. Whittaker, who was making just the second lineup appearance of her career, carded Nebraska's best score in the first round at the conference tournament with a 75, before adding a 77 in the final round to finish at 152 in a tie for 51st.

Whittaker's improvement throughout the season was remarkable. Through seven fall rounds, she managed a 79.81 stroke average while making the adjustment to the longer courses in college golf.

During the spring, she slashed nearly three strokes per round off her game, posting a 76.86 average over 14 rounds, which trailed only Kate Smith (73.79) and Kirsten Baete (76.36) among the Huskers. Whittaker's 77.81 stroke average ranked among the top 15 seasons all-time among Nebraska freshmen.

She made her first collegiate appearance at the Golfweek Conference Challenge in Wolcott, Colo. (Sept. 24-26), finishing at 243 (80-80-83) to tie for 85th while playing as an individual outside Nebraska's lineup. She also played as an individual at the UNLV Collegiate Showdown (Oct. 21-23) producing a 233 (79-76-78).

Whittaker closed the fall with a tie for 56th (82) while playing as an individual outside the Husker lineup in the only round of the rain-shortened Rainbow Wahine Invitational (Oct. 31).

Whittaker started strong in the spring with a 233 (78-77-78) to tie for 64th while playing as an individual outside the Husker lineup at the Lady Puerto Rico Classic (Feb. 10-12).

She cut six strokes off her previous tournament best with a 227 (77-74-76) to tie for 81st while playing as an individual outside the Husker lineup at the Westbrook Spring Invitational in Peoria, Ariz. (Feb. 24-25).

Whittaker matched her season best with a 227 (73-78-78) on a much more challenging layout at the Clover Cup in Mesa, Ariz. (March 15-17). She posted a season-best tie for 30th.

She closed the regular season with a tie for 49th at 235 (75-77-83) while making her first career lineup appearance at the Lady Buckeye Invitational in Columbus, Ohio (April 13-14).

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Whittaker captured back-to-back Nebraska Class A individual state titles in 2016 and 2017. She led Elkhorn South High School and Coach Mimi Ramsbottom to four consecutive Class A state team championships from 2014 through 2017. Whittaker was an Academic All-State selection in golf in 2016.

Whittaker won the 2017 FCWT Tour Championship, and recorded victories in three consecutive NJGT Tour Championships (2014, 2015, 2016). She also claimed the 2016 Nebraska Girls State Match Play crown. She was the 2017 Nebraska Girls Stroke Play runner-up and was a finalist for the 2016 National Drive, Chip and Putt competition.

Whittaker was a three-time Super-State selection on the golf course, and she was also a two-time letterwinner on the track. She helped Elkhorn South to an eighth-place finish in the 4x800-meter relay in 2017. She also competed in the 1,600-meter run and was named an Academic All-State performer in 2017.

LINDSEY THIELE

Junior (Two Letters) Wahoo, Nebraska (Bishop Neumann)

HONORS & AWARDS

- Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational Co-Champion (2021)
- One Career Top-10 Finish (1, 2021-22)
- Three Career Top-25 Finishes (2, 2021-22)
- Tied for 74th at Big Ten Championship (2021)
- Big Ten Co-Golfer of the Week (Sept. 22, 2021)
- WGCA Scholastic All-American (2021, 2022)
- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2022)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2022)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2020, 2021; Spring 2021, 2022)
- Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award (2022)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2021, 2022)
- Nebraska Girls Junior PGA Champion (2015, 2019)
- Nebraska Women's Amateur Runner-Up (2020)
- Sixth at Class B Boys State Championships (2019)
- Nebraska High School All-State (Golf, Basketball, Volleyball)
- Optimist Junior Golf All-Scholastic Team (2019) (1 of 5 Girl or Boy Junior Golfers Nationally)

THIELE'S CAREER BESTS

Best Finish .....T1st (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Best Event (Strokes)..219 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Low Round.....70 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 1st, 2021)
Low First Round .....70 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Low Second Round .....71 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Low Third Round..... 72 (Allstate Sugar Bowl, 2021)
Career Rounds Under Par..... 2

THIELE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Low
2020-21	15	1,202	80.13	72
2021-22	18	1,384	76.89	70
Totals	**33**	**2,586**	**78.36**	**70**

PERSONAL

The daughter of Kevin and Lisa Thiele, Lindsey has two younger sisters, Lauren and Brooke, and two older sisters, Haley and Hannah. A psychology major, Lindsey is a two-time WGCA Scholastic All-American. A Big Ten Distinguished Scholar, she also claimed Academic All-Big Ten honors with a perfect 4.0 GPA in 2022. She earned a prestigious Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award in 2022. She is a four-time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll selection and a two-time member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

Lindsey chose Nebraska over Missouri, Iowa, Oklahoma, Kansas State, Northern Illinois, Evansville and Wyoming.

"There is something about being able to say that 'I am a Husker' that makes me beyond excited for the future," Thiele said. "From academically to athletically, this University has it all, and I am so honored and humbled to have the opportunity to be a part of this great school and team."

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

Lindsey Thiele (pronounced TEEL) enters her third season as a Husker looking to be a regular in the lineup while continuing to be a star in the classroom and the community.

Thiele, who slashed more than three strokes per round off her season average from her freshman to sophomore years, continues a family tradition on the Nebraska women's golf team. The junior out of Bishop Neumann High School in Wahoo followed in the footsteps of her older sisters, Haley (2015-20) and Hannah (2018-21), who were also letterwinners and WGCA Scholastic All-Americans at Nebraska.

SOPHOMORE (2021-22)

Thiele unleashed the best performance of her collegiate career, sharing the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational individual title with teammate Nicole Hansen (Sept. 20-21). Thiele finished the 54-hole event with a career-best 219 (+3) that included her first two rounds better than par as a collegian. She opened the tournament with a career-best 70 (-2) before adding a 71 (-1) in the second round to head to the final round atop the leader board in the 62-player field. She managed a 78 in the final round on the par-72, 6,221-yard layout at Colbert Hills Golf Club.

With Thiele and Hansen leading the way, Nebraska's four-player "B" lineup won the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower team title, becoming the first Husker team in 11 all-time trips to the tournament to come away with a trophy. The "B" team finished with a three-round total of 885, six strokes ahead of runner-up Sam Houston (891). Thiele and Hansen also shared Big Ten Co-Golfer-of-the-Week honors (Sept. 22).

Thiele capped a strong fall by showing continued improvement, tying for 21st with a four-over-par 222 (74-74-74) while playing as an individual outside Nebraska's lineup at the White Sands Intercollegiate in the Bahamas (Oct. 22-24). It marked her second top-25 finish of the fall and allowed her to finish with a 76.80 stroke average over 15 rounds - a 3.33 strokes per round improvement compared to spring 2021.

Following her tournament title at Kansas State, Thiele played out of the top spot in NU's lineup at The Molly Collegiate in Seaside, Calif. (Sept. 27-28). She closed as Nebraska's No. 4 finisher with a three-round total of 240 (84-79-77) in a tie for 67th in an 83-player field at the Bayonet Golf Club.

She traveled with the Huskers to the Dale McNamara Invitational (Oct. 11-12), competing as an individual outside the Husker lineup. Thiele finished 59th with a three-round total of 234 that included solid and consistent rounds of 77, 79 and 78 on the 6,200-yard layout at The Golf Club of Oklahoma in Broken Arrow.

Thiele opened her second season at Nebraska by earning a lineup spot at the Wolverine Invitational (Sept. 13-14). She was NU's No. 4 finisher at the 16-team event that included 12 teams that advanced to 2021 NCAA Regional play. She closed with a 54-hole score of 237 that included a second-round 77 (+6) on the par-71, 6,232-yard layout of the University of Michigan Golf Course in Ann Arbor. She finished 76th individually in the 90-player field.

She opened the spring season by going 0-1 at the Big Ten Match Play (Jan. 31-Feb. 1). Thiele earned her first lineup spot of the spring and tied for third among the Huskers with a 232 (76-76-80) to tie for 70th overall at the Briar's Creek Invitational in John's Island, S.C. (March 14-15).

FRESHMAN (2020-21)

Thiele produced the best tournament performance of her young career at the Allstate Sugar Bowl Intercollegiate (March 14-16). She notched a career-best tie for 23rd with a then-career-best three-round total of 229 (74-83-72) to help Nebraska to its first team tournament title since the spring of 2019. Her final-round 72 was a season best.

Thiele opened her competitive career in the Husker lineup as Nebraska's No. 2 individual finisher at the SMU Trinity Forest Invitational in Dallas (Feb. 1-2). Thiele tied for 43rd individually in a talent-rich field with a three-round total of 232 (76-82-74).

She returned to the Husker lineup in the second tournament of the spring at the Bruin Wave Invitational in Somis, Calif. In extremely challenging scoring conditions, Thiele tied for 67th in an 82-golfer field with a 252.

Thiele managed a 248 (85-78-85) at the Indiana Spring Invitational (April 17-18) to tie for 94th individually, before participating as Nebraska's No. 6 golfer in the six-count-four format at the 2021 Big Ten Championship. Thiele tied for 74th individually with a three-round total of 241 (81-79-81), as Nebraska tied for second to produce its best finish at a conference tournament since 1984 (2nd, Big Eight).

She closed her first collegiate season with an 80.13 stroke average over 15 spring rounds.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Thiele produced a solid summer that included a runner-up finish at the 2020 Nebraska Women's Amateur at the Country Club of Lincoln in early August. Thiele finished the three-round tournament at 215 (71-73-71, -1). The tournament field included Huskers Kirsten Baete, Nicole Hansen, Noor Ahmed, Jessica Haraden, Hannah Thiele and Megan Whittaker, who all finished in the top 12.

A strong all-around athlete, Thiele finished sixth individually at the 2019 Class B Boys State Golf Championships. She helped the Bishop Neumann boys team to a Class B state tournament appearance as a junior. Her eighth-place district finish helped Neumann finish second at districts to qualify for state. As a sophomore in the spring of 2018, Thiele was a Class C boys individual district champion while helping Bishop Neumann to a district runner-up finish and an appearance at the state tournament.

As a junior golfer, Thiele qualified for the 2019 PGA Girls Junior National Tournament at Keney Park Golf Club in Hartford, Conn. She won the 2019 Nebraska Girls Junior PGA Championship at Indian Trails Country Club in Beemer and the 2019 Hale Irwin AJGA Preview at Walnut Creek in Westminster, Colo. She was also the runner-up at the 2019 John Deere Classic at TPC Deere Run in Silvis, Ill. Thiele also placed third at the 2019 USGA Nebraska Junior Girls Qualifier at Wild Horse Golf Club in Gothenburg.

Before high school, Thiele qualified for the 2016 Optimist International Golf Tournament at PGA National Resort in Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., by winning the Nebraska Girls Junior Optimist Qualifier. As a seventh grader, she was the 2015 Girls Junior PGA Champion (Ages 13-15).

Thiele was also an outstanding basketball and volleyball player at Bishop Neumann. As a junior in basketball in 2019, Thiele earned a spot on the Class C1 All-Tournament team by leading Neumann to the Class C1 state title. She earned second-team Class C1 all-state honors from the Lincoln Journal Star. She was an honorable-mention all-state selection in basketball as a freshman, sophomore and senior. Thiele helped Bishop Neumann to a runner-up finish at state in 2018, after the team finished third at state her freshman season. Thiele was also honorable-mention Class C1 in volleyball as a freshman, sophomore and junior, and helped the Cavaliers to the state tournament in 2019.

A standout in the classroom, Thiele carried a 4.0 GPA and was the student body president and a class president for three years at Bishop Neumann. She was a four-year member of the student council and was involved in many different clubs and volunteer activities.

MICHAELA VAVROVA

Junior (Two Letters) Bojnice, Slovakia (Slovak National Team)

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

The first Slovakian women's golfer in Husker history, Michaela Vavrova enters her third season at Nebraska planning to be a leader in the lineup. A consistent performer for two years in the NU lineup, Vavrova finished 17th at the 2022 Big Ten Championship, and will join fellow junior Lindsey Thiele and fifth-year Husker Megan Whittaker as the most experienced golfers on Nebraska's 2022-23 roster.

SOPHOMORE (2021-22)

Vavrova continued as one of Nebraska's top players as a sophomore in 2021-22. She closed her second season at Nebraska by tying for 17th at the 2022 Big Ten Championship. She opened the conference tournament with a career-best 68 (-3) to sit atop the leader board after the first 18 holes. She added a 73 (+2) in the second round to remain in the top five heading into the final 18 holes of competition at the Fox Chapel Golf Club in Pittsburgh, before closing the tournament with a three-round total of 220 (+7).

Vavrova competed in 27 rounds for the Huskers throughout the season and finished with a 76.37 stroke average. She ended the season with four top-25 individual finishes, including a pair of top-10 showings. She owns seven career top-25 finishes.

Vavrova capped a strong fall of 2021 by tying for 10th with a career-best-tying 217 (+1) to help Nebraska to a runner-up team finish at the White Sands Intercollegiate in the Bahamas (Oct. 22-24). Her performance on the 6,415-yard layout of the Ocean Club at Paradise Island included a then-career-best 69 (-3) in the second round, sandwiched between rounds of 74. Her 69 was part of a season-best 280 (-8) in the second round for the Big Red in the Bahamas. Her overall performance was her second top-10 finish of the fall and the fifth top-25 finish of her young career.

She stormed to her first collegiate tournament title with a career-best 217 (+1) over three rounds at Indian Creek in Elkhorn, Neb (Oct. 4-5). Her performance included a 71 (-1) in the second round and an even-par 72 in the final round, after opening with a solid 74 on the 5,988-yard layout. Her effort at the Stampede earned her the first Big Ten Golfer-of-the-Week award of her career (Oct. 6).

Her performance in Elkhorn propelled her back into Nebraska's lineup for the Dale McNamara Invitational (Oct. 11-12), where she helped the Huskers to a runner-up team finish in a 13-team field by tying for 56th individually. Her three-round total of 233 included a final-round 74 (+2) on the 6,200-yard layout at The Golf Club of Oklahoma.

Vavrova opened her second season in the lineup at the Wolverine Invitational in Ann Arbor, Mich. (Sept. 13-14). She tied for 65th (233) in a loaded 16-team field that included 12 teams that advanced to 2021 NCAA Regional play. Her second-round 75 (+4) was a season best. She earned a second lineup spot for the Huskers at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in Manhattan, Kan. (Sept. 20-21), finishing 42nd (235) in a 62-player field. She did not compete at The Molly Collegiate (Sept. 27-28).

Her 75.67 stroke average over 15 fall rounds ranked fourth among the Huskers.

She opened the spring by going 0-1-2 at the Big Ten Match Play (Jan. 31-Feb. 1), before finishing 84th at the Tulane Classic with a three-round total of 253. Vavrova bounced back with a 219 (76-69-74) at the Westbrook Spring Invitational (Feb.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Stampede at The Creek Champion (2021)
- Two Career Top-10 Finishes (2, 2021-22)
- Seven Career Top-25 Finishes (4, 2021-22)
- Tied for 17th at Big Ten Championship (2022)
- Tied for 33rd at Big Ten Championship (2021)
- Tied for 45th at NCAA Columbus Regional (2021)
- Big Ten Golfer of the Week (Oct. 6, 2021)
- Two-Time Slovak U18 Junior Champion
- Slovak Elite National Team Member (2021-Present)
- Slovak National Team Member (2016-Present)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2022)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2020, 2021; Spring 2021, 2022)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2022)

VAVROVA'S CAREER BESTS

Best Finish .....1st (Stampede at The Creek, 2021)
Best Event (Strokes)..... 217 (White Sands, 2021)
..... 217 (Stampede at The Creek, 2021)
Low Round.....68 (Big Ten, 1st, 2022)
Low First Round ..... 68 (Big Ten, 2022)
Low Second Round ..... 69 (White Sands, 2022)
.....69 (Westbrook, 2022)
Low Third Round.....72 (Indiana, 2021)
..... 72 (Stampede at The Creek, 2022)
Career Rounds Under Par..... 5

VAVROVA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Low
2020-21	21	1,603	76.33	70
2021-22	27	2,062	76.37	68
Totals	**48**	**3,665**	**76.35**	**68**

PERSONAL

The daughter of Angelika Vavrova and Igor Vavro, Michaela was born Oct. 10, 2000, in Bratislava, Slovakia. She has a younger sister, Zuzana. Michaela, who is a hospitality, restaurant and tourism management major, claimed her first Academic All-Big Ten award in 2022. She is a four-time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll selection. She also earned a spot on the 2022 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

She began playing golf at the age of 9, and credits much of her success and commitment in the game to her grandfather, who has served as a coach, caddy and all-around support system as a golfer.

"My first feelings about Lincoln and the University of Nebraska were amazing. Everything is so nice, safe and clean," Vavrova said. "I really like the system and program for students the university has. It is very important for me to have friendly, helpful and nice people around me, and I met a lot of them during my official visit."

27-28) that included a career-best-tying 69 (-3) in the second round. She tied for 30th individually with teammate Miu Takahashi in Arizona to help the Huskers to a runner-up finish in a loaded 14-team field. She did not compete at the Briar's Creek Invitational (March 14-15), but returned to Nebraska's lineup at the Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational (April 15-16). She tied for 25th with a 235 (83-77-75) in challenging scoring conditions against a strong field at the Scarlet Course in Columbus, Ohio.

FRESHMAN (2020-21)

In her first season of collegiate golf, Vavrova proved herself as one of Nebraska's top golfers, competing in all 21 rounds in the lineup during the spring of 2021. She capped her true freshman year as NU's No. 2 individual finisher at the NCAA Columbus Regional, tying for 45th with a three-round score of 229 (78-75-76) on the 6,358-yard, par-72 layout of Ohio State's Scarlet Course.

Vavrova was instrumental in propelling the Huskers to their first NCAA Regional appearance since 2008, by producing Nebraska's No. 5 individual finish at the 2021 Big Ten Championship. She finished in a tie for 33rd in the 78-player field with a three-round total of 224 (76-75-73) on the 6,300-yard, par-72 layout at TPC River's Bend in Maineville, Ohio. Her final-round 73 helped the Huskers to a season-best 281 (-7) on championship Sunday, allowing Nebraska to secure a tie for second.

NU's team performance marked its best-ever Big Ten finish and the best conference finish by a Husker women's golf team since taking second at the 1984 Big Eight Championship.

Vavrova produced a breakthrough performance at the Arizona Wildcat Invitational in Tucson (March 8-9), matching Kate Smith for the team's top individual score with a then-career-best three-round total of 219. Vavrova's effort in Arizona included a then-career-best 70 (-2) in the second round.

She followed with first career top-20 finish at the Allstate Sugar Bowl Intercollegiate (March 14-16). Her three-round score of 228 included three consistent rounds of 76 in challenging scoring conditions at the English Turn Golf and Country Club in New Orleans. Vavrova's steady play helped the Huskers capture their first team tournament title since the spring of 2019.

Vavrova added a second consecutive top-20 finish with her season-best tie for 19th at the Indiana Spring Invitational (April 17-18). In a loaded 98-player field, Vavrova totaled 221 (74-75-72) including an even-par final round to help the Huskers tie for sixth in a 16-team field that featured 14 top-100 teams.

She finished with NU's No. 4 stroke average (76.33) through 21 rounds. She shot 76 or better in 14 of her final 15 rounds of the season.

Vavrova opened her collegiate career at Nebraska by earning a lineup spot at the season-opening SMU Trinity Forest Invitational in Dallas (Feb. 1-2). She finished as the No. 4 Husker at the event with a three-round total of 237 (80-79-78) to tie for 55th in a loaded 14-team field. Vavrova earned her second lineup spot at the Bruin Wave Invitational, where she was Nebraska's No. 4 finisher with a three-round total of 245 in extremely challenging scoring conditions. Vavrova shot a 77 (+5) in the final round to help the Huskers climb the leader board in a talent-rich 15-team field. She took 49th overall in an 82-player field.

During the fall season, Vavrova finished as the No. 2 female at the Wells Fargo Nebraska Open in Lincoln, trailing only teammate Alice Duan at the event. The Nebraska Open featured top professionals and men's collegiate players across the Cornhusker state, and Vavrova and Duan made the cut to compete in the championship round against the men at the event.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

A member of the Slovakian National Team since 2016, Vavrova joined the Slovakian Elite National Team in 2021. She has represented Slovakia three times at the European Championships.

In addition to several victories in junior tournaments in Slovakia, Vavrova has an extensive international background, competing in many tournaments in Italy and such events as the ANNIKA Invitational Europe and the European Girls' Team Championship in Sweden, the Duke of York Young Champions Trophy in England, the Helen Holm Scottish Women's Open, the European Ladies' Team Championship, the Austrian Stroke Play U21 and the Junior Orange Bowl International, Doral Publix Junior Classic and the IMG Academy Junior World Championship in the United States - all within the last six years.

LENA HASSERT

Sophomore (One Letter) **Kreuzau, Germany (Gymnasium Kreuzau)**

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

Lena Hassert hopes to fight for consistent lineup time in her second season at Nebraska. The young golfer from Kreuzau, Germany was the Austrian U16 and U18 Junior Stroke Play champion before becoming a Husker. She also tied for second at the German National Championship in 2017.

In addition to her experience in Germany and Austria, Hassert has competed in England, Czechoslovakia and Malta.

FRESHMAN (2021-22)

Hassert made her collegiate debut by earning a top-five spot in Nebraska's lineup at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in Manhattan, Kan. (Sept. 20-21). She managed a three-round score of 256 (89-82-85) to finish 60th on the par-72, 6,221-yard layout at Colbert Hills Golf Club.

Hassert competed as an individual at the Stampede at The Creek (Oct. 4-5), tying for 29th with a three-round total of 245 (83-75-84). She closed the fall by competing as an individual at the White Sands Intercollegiate in the Bahamas (Oct. 22-24). She managed a three-round total of 250 (83-88-79) to finish 42nd. Hassert ended the fall with an 83.11 stroke average over nine rounds.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

A two-time Austrian Stroke Play champion, Hassert was a top youth and junior competitor in Europe. She was also the runner-up at the German National Championship in 2017. More recently, Hassert was the runner-up at an Austrian Junior Golf Tour U21 event in 2020.

She competed individually throughout Europe, while also playing as a team member at the German National Girls Team Championship. She helped her Kölner Golfclub to a regional championship and a third-place national finish in 2019, before leading Golfclub Hubbelrath to a regional title in 2020.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2021; Spring 2022)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2022)
- Austrian Junior Stroke Play Champion (2017, 2020)
- Austrian Juniors Tour Champion (2019)
- German National Championship Runner-Up (2017)
- Four-Time German Youth National Championship Qualifier (2016, 2017, 2019, 2020)

HASSERT'S CAREER BESTS

Best Finish ..... T29th (Stampede at The Creek, 2021)
Best Event (Strokes)..... 219 (Arizona Wildcat, 2021)
Low Round..... 75 (Stampede at The Creek, 2nd, 2021)
Low First Round ..... 83 (Stampede at The Creek, 2021)
..... 83 (White Sands, 2021)
Low Second Round ..... 75 (Stampede at The Creek, 2021)
Low Third Round..... 79 (White Sands, 2021)
Career Rounds Under Par..... None

HASSERT'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Low
2021-22	9	748	83.11	75
Totals	**9**	**748**	**83.11**	**75**

PERSONAL

The daughter of Ingo and Sylvia Hassert, Lena was born Nov. 1, 2003, in Dueren, Germany. She has a younger sister, Paula. A supply chain management major, Hassert earned spots on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the fall and spring semesters of 2021-22. She was also a member of the 2022 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

"I chose Nebraska because of the coaching staff. Their goals and visions for the team and for each individual convinced me the most. I am excited for the next years to come."

MIU TAKAHASHI

Sophomore (One Letter) **Nasu-machi, Japan (Kaishi Kokusai)**

HONORS & AWARDS

- One Career Top-10 Finish (1, 2021-22)
- Three Career Top-25 Finishes (3, 2021-22)
- Tied for 80th at Big Ten Championship (2022)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2021; Spring 2022)
- Yonex Junior Golf Championship (5th)
- Niigata Prefecture Golf Tournament Runner-Up

TAKAHASHI'S CAREER BESTS

Best Finish ..... T5th (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Best Event (Strokes).....219 (Westbrook, 2022)
Low Round.....68 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2nd, 2021)
Low First Round ..... 71 (Dale McNamara, 2021)
Low Second Round .....68 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Low Third Round.....74 (Westbrook, 2022)
Career Rounds Under Par..... 2

TAKAHASHI'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Low
2020-21	29	2,249	77.55	68
Totals	**29**	**2,249**	**77.55**	**68**

PERSONAL

The daughter of Yasunori and Junko Takahashi, Miu was born Oct. 31, 2002. A sports media and communication major, Takahashi earned spots on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the fall and spring semesters of 2021-22.

"I chose Nebraska because the coaches are very kind and I felt like I'd like to play golf for them," Takahashi said. "I was impressed by the golf practice facilities and golf program. Many people suggested Nebraska is a safe place."

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

One of the top young golfers in Japan, Miu Takahashi will work to be a regular in the Nebraska lineup as a sophomore in 2022-23. Takahashi competed in 29 collegiate rounds as a true freshman, trailing only 2022 NCAA Regional qualifier Kirsten Baete among the Huskers. Takahashi capped her first season as one of six Huskers competing at the 2022 Big Ten Championship.

FRESHMAN (2021-22)

Takahashi closed her first fall season in the Nebraska women's golf program by producing her third top-25 individual finish in five events. She tied for 25th with a solid three-round total of 224 (+6) to help the Huskers to a runner-up team finish at the White Sands Intercollegiate in the Bahamas (Oct. 22-24). Her effort on the 6,415-yard layout of the Ocean Club at Paradise Island included an even-par 72 in the first round before back-to-back rounds of 76 to close the tournament.

Takahashi's performance to close the fall followed a lineup appearance at the Dale McNamara Invitational (Oct. 11-12). She helped the Big Red to another runner-up team finish in a 13-team field by firing an opening-round 71 (-1) on the 6,200 layout at The Golf Club of Oklahoma in Broken Arrow. She finished with a three-round score of 232 to tie for 53rd.

Takahashi opened her college career by earning a lineup spot for the Huskers at the season-opening Wolverine Invitational (Sept. 13-14). She was NU's No. 5 finisher at the 16-team event that included 12 teams that advanced to 2021 NCAA Regionals. Takahashi finished with a 54-hole score of 238 that included a 78 (+7) in the final round on the par-71, 6,232-yard layout at the University of Michigan Golf Course in Ann Arbor. She tied for 77th individually in the 90-golfer field.

She did not earn a spot in Nebraska's top lineup the following week at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational, but she did produce a breakout performance. Takahashi was instrumental in leading the Big Red's four-player "B" squad to the team championship. She tied for fifth individually with a 54-hole score of 222 (75-68-79) that included a career-best 68 (-4) in the second round. Takahashi was seven-under through 14 holes in the second round before settling for three bogeys on the final four holes. Her 68 tied for the best score by any golfer in the tournament, joining Kansas State's Remington Isaac as the only golfers to shoot a round better than 70 on the par-72, 6,221-yard layout at Colbert Hills Golf Club in Manhattan, Kan.

Takahashi, individual co-champions Nicole Hansen and Lindsey Thiele, and fellow freshman Andrea Velez (T19th) captured the team crown with a six-stroke win over Sam Houston. It marked Nebraska's first Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational team title in 11 all-time trips to the tournament.

She returned to Nebraska's lineup at The Molly Collegiate (Sept. 27-28), closing as Nebraska's No. 2 finisher with a three-round total of 226 (75-76-76) in a tie for 18th in an 83-player field on the par-72 layout of the Bayonet Golf Club in Seaside, Calif.

Takahashi closed the fall with Nebraska's No. 5 stroke average (76.13).

She opened the spring by going 1-0-1 at the Big Ten Match Play (Jan. 31-Feb. 1) before completing two rounds (83-79) while playing as an individual outside Nebraska's lineup at the Tulane Classic (Feb. 13-15). Takahashi followed with the best tournament score of her college career with a 219 (+3) to help the Huskers to a runner-up team finish in a loaded field at the Westbrook Spring Invitational (Feb. 27-28). She tied teammate Michaela Vavrova for 30th in Arizona, after carding three straight solid rounds (72-73-74).

Takahashi competed in the Nebraska lineup again at the Briar's Creek Invitational in John's Island, S.C. (March 14-15). She was NU's No. 5 finisher in a tie for 77th at 234 (76-83-75). She added another lineup appearance in the six-count-four format at the Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational (April 15-16). Takahashi finished 57th with a 251 (84-83-84) in rugged scoring conditions against a talented field on the Scarlet Course in Columbus, Ohio. She closed her freshman campaign by tying for 80th in the six-count-four format of the 2022 Big Ten Championship. Takahashi finished with a three-round total of 241 (79-81-81) on the par-71 layout of the Fox Chapel Golf Club in Pittsburgh.

Overall, Takahashi ended the season with a 77.55 stroke average over 29 rounds in 2021-22.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Takahashi tied for second at the Niigata prefecture golf tournament and finished fifth at the Yonex Junior Golf Championship. She did not compete in tournaments during the summer of 2020 in Japan because of restrictions sparked by the world-wide outbreak of the coronavirus. Takahashi attended Kaishi Kokusai High School. She was coached by Hiroyuki Fujita.

ANDREA VELEZ

Sophomore (One Letter) Pereira, Colombia (Liceo de Frances Pereira)

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

Andrea Velez enters her third season at Nebraska looking to make an impact on the Big Red lineup. In her first year on the course as a Husker in 2021-22, Velez competed in nine rounds and posted a 77.00 stroke average.

FRESHMAN (2021-22)

Velez showed continued improvement throughout the 2021 fall season, producing a pair of top-25 tournament finishes for the Huskers while competing in three events. The redshirt freshman from Colombia closed the fall with a collegiate career-best 223 (+5) to tie for 23rd while playing as an individual outside the Nebraska lineup at the White Sands Intercollegiate in the Bahamas (Oct. 22-24). Velez's performance on the 6,415-yard layout of the Ocean Club at Paradise Island included a career-best even-par 72 in the final round.

Velez ended the fall with a 77.00 stroke average over nine rounds.

Velez made her collegiate debut with a top-20 finish at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in Manhattan, Kan. (Sept. 20-21). She carded consistent rounds of 75 to finish with a 54-hole score of 225 to tie for 19th in the 62-player field. Although Velez did not earn a top-five lineup spot for the Huskers at Colbert Hills Golf Club, she did help Nebraska's four-player "B" squad to the tournament title with a three-round total of 885. Velez joined individual co-champions Lindsey Thiele and Nicole Hansen and fellow freshman Miu Takahashi (T5th) in bringing home Nebraska's first Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational championship in 11 all-time trips to the tournament.

Velez tied for 32nd with a 245 (80-83-83) at the Stampede at The Creek (Oct. 4-5) in Elkhorn, Neb.

REDSHIRT (2020-21)

Velez redshirted in her first season at Nebraska after arriving on campus in January of 2021. Velez became the first Colombian in the Nebraska women's golf program. She signed with Nebraska in November of 2019 but was forced to delay her enrollment until the spring semester of 2021 because of the worldwide outbreak of the coronavirus.

She earned a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in her first semester in Lincoln in the spring of 2021.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Velez won the Colombian Golf Federation Master International Infantil & Juvenil in 2018, before adding a third-place finish at the same event in 2019. Velez posted a fifth-place finish at the 2019 Campeonato Nacional e Internacional Juvenil Stroke Play in Guatemala, which featured top players from Central America and the Caribbean. She finished 11th at the 2019 Optimist International Junior Golf Championship at Trump National in Doral, Fla.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Two Career Top-25 Finishes (2, 2021-22)
- Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar (2022)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2022)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2021; Spring 2021, 2022)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2022)
- Colombian Golf Federation Master International Infantil & Juvenil Champion (2018)
- 11th at Optimist International Junior Golf Championship (2019)

VELEZ'S CAREER BESTS

Best Finish ..... T19th (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Best Event (Strokes)..... 223 (White Sands, 2021)
Low Round.....72 (White Sands, 3rd, 2021)
Low First Round ..... 74 (White Sands, 2021)
Low Second Round .....75 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2021)
Low Third Round..... 72 (White Sands, 2021)
Career Rounds Under Par..... None

VELEZ'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Rounds	Strokes	Average	Low
2021-22	9	693	77.00	72
Totals	**9**	**693**	**77.00**	**72**

PERSONAL

The daughter of Guillermo Velez and Constanza Lopez, Andrea was born June 24, 2002. She has a younger sister, Antonia. A finance major, Andrea claimed Academic All-Big Ten honors in 2022. She is a three-time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll selection and a member of the 2022 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

"I chose Nebraska because it is an amazing university. When I did my official visit, I just felt in love. Everybody was so nice, including all the members of the team. My dream as a child was to study in a university like Nebraska. I want to spend my next four years and more at Nebraska learning new things with really nice people."

BROOKE BREAM

Redshirt Freshman **Phoenix, Arizona (Xavier College Prep)**

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

A multi-sport athlete in high school, Brooke Bream was a walk-on to the Husker program and redshirted in 2021-22.

A high school and club soccer player and a middle distance runner as a track athlete in Arizona, Bream began to focus on golf at the Arizona Country Club when the COVID-19 pandemic forced the cancellation of her junior track and field season and club soccer competitions.

Bream, who did not play high school golf, was a 2021 Junior Golf Association of Arizona Player of the Year finalist after winning three tournament titles and adding a pair of runner-up finishes.

REDSHIRT (2021-22)

Bream redshirted in her first season as a walk-on at Nebraska in 2021-22. She earned two spots on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll and was a member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Bream began her competitive golf career on the Junior Golf Association of Arizona Tour in March of 2021, tying for 18th at the Desert Mashie Championship at Cave Creek. She added a tie for 16th at the Tucson Conquistadores Spring Classic at the El Rio Golf Course (April 24-25) before finishing eighth at Tucson City (June 2-3) with a 161 (78-83). Her scores continued to fall the next week by tying for fifth at the Antigua Milt Coggins Arizona Junior Stroke Play (June 8-9), finishing at 155 (75-80).

Her performance set up her win at the Thunderbird Junior Classic (June 21-22), and she added a tie for second at the Mesa City Junior/Junior World Qualifier (June 30-31).

She added another runner-up finish with a 147 (75-72) over two rounds at the Prescott City Junior Championship (July 7-8), before winning the PING Invitational (July 19-20) at Grand Canyon University Golf Course with a 155 (75-80).

Bream added another victory at the Phoenix City Junior Championship (July 22-23) with a single round of 75. She managed a fourth-place showing at the Maricopa Junior Championship (Aug. 2-3), her seventh consecutive top-five tournament finish.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Scott and Shelly Bream, Brooke was born March 3, 2003. Brooke has a younger sister, Mackenzie. Brooke's mother is a University of Nebraska graduate. Brooke's father is the vice president for player personnel for the Detroit Tigers. A three-sport athlete at Millard South High School, Scott Bream advanced to the Triple A level after playing in the San Diego Padres (1989-1995), Chicago Cubs (1995) and Detroit Tiger organizations (1996-98) after being drafted in the second round by San Diego in the 1989 MLB Draft. He continued in the Tigers organization as an advance scout in 1999, and has spent all by two (2011-12, Padres) of the last 23 in the Tigers organization. Brooke is majoring in economics and earned spots on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in fall and spring semesters of 2021-22. She was also a member of the 2022 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2021; Spring 2022)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2022)
- Junior Golf Association of Arizona Player of the Year Finalist (3rd, 2021)
- Phoenix City Junior Championship (2021)
- JGAA PING Invitational Champion (2021)
- JGAA Thunderbird Junior Classic Champion (2021)

ARIEL GONZALEZ

Freshman **Merida, Mexico**

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

Ariel Gonzalez joined Kelli Ann Strand and Sydney Harz in a talented three-player Nebraska recruiting class in the fall of 2021. Gonzalez has performed well several times at major national events, including a third-place finish at the 2020 LPGA Junior Open and a fourth-place showing at the 2020 PGA National Summer Junior Open.

Gonzalez will be hoping to push for playing time in the Nebraska lineup while making the adjustment to college golf and university life in the United States.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Gonzalez, a native of Merida, Mexico, tied for 20th at the IMG Academy Junior World Golf Championship in July of 2021 with a four-round total of 296.

She also tied for 16th at the Insperity Invitational/Patrick Reed AJGA Junior Championship in June, after opening her American Junior Golf Association appearances with a tie for 24th at the evian International & Senior Showcase in November of 2020.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Hugo and Mercedes, Ariel was born Sept. 29, 2003. Gonzalez is majoring in advertising and public relations at Nebraska.

HONORS & AWARDS

- LPGA Junior Open (3rd, 2020)
- PGA National Summer Junior Open (4th, 2020)
- IMG Academy Junior World Golf Championship (20th, 2021)

SYDNEY HARZ

Freshman **Freiburg, Germany**

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

One of the top young golfers in Germany the past several years, Sydney Harz joins the Huskers hoping to compete for immediate playing time in the Husker lineup.

A member of the German Junior National Team, Harz was the runner-up at the German National Youth Challenge in 2022.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

One of the top players in Germany the past several years, Harz comes to Nebraska as a member of the German Junior National Team.

She won the 2020 Freiburg Golf Club Championship at her home club with a three-round total of 204 (-9). She also took a runner-up finish at the 2020 National Youth Challenge U16 in Spessart, after also taking second at the 2020 State Squad Qualifying tournament with a single-round 69 (-3).

In 2018, Harz won the BWGZ State Championships U14 with a two-round score of 142 (-2), while adding a title at the 2018 International Match Play. She also finished third at the German National Semifinals U16 in 2019.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Holger and Anja Bauer-Harz, Sydney was born Jan. 11, 2004 in Freiburg, Germany. Sydney is planning to major in business and pursue a law degree at Nebraska.

HONORS & AWARDS

- German Junior National Team
- International Match Play Champion (2018)
- BWGZ U14 State Championship (2018)
- German National Youth Challenge U16 Runner-up (2022)

KELLI ANN STRAND

Freshman **Challis, Idaho (Challis)**

OUTLOOK (2022-23)

The top player in the state of Idaho throughout her high school career, Kelli Ann Strand was a three-time Idaho state champion who was ranked among the top-310 players in the world (WAGR 308) before arriving at Nebraska.

A leading contender to earn a second straight Idaho Golf Association Women's Player of the Year award, Strand produced a strong summer of 2022. After winning the Idaho Women's Match Play title she took second at the Idaho Women's Amateur. She was also the runner-up at the Girls Junior Americas Cup (July 24-28) for the second straight year with a three-round total of 205 (-11). She captured third at the IMG Academy Junior World Championship (July 12-15) with a four-round total of 280 (-8), which came before competing at the U.S. Girls Junior Amateur in Kentucky (July 18-23), where she advanced to Match Play before finishing in a tie for 33rd.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Strand captured three consecutive Idaho Class 2A state championships and never lost an individual high school match at Challis High School while playing for her uncle Eric Strand in the small town of approximately 1,000 residents. Kelli Ann won the 2022 2A title with a state Class 2A record 129 (64-65, -15) through two rounds, which was good for a 21-stroke win.

She was one of 24 members of the USA Today High School Sports Awards Golf Team in 2021-22.

Strand captured her second Idaho Class 2A individual high school state championship in May of 2021 with a two-round total of 135 (66-69). Strand's nine-under-par score at Circling Raven Golf Course in Worley, Idaho, allowed her to win the title by 25 strokes over the second-place finisher.

She also won the 2A state championship as a freshman in 2019. The 2020 championship was canceled because of COVID-19.

In October of 2021, Strand won the Idaho Golf Association Women's Championship, firing a two-day total of 142 (72-70).

In August of 2019, Strand added a title at the Idaho Junior Amateur in the girls 15-18 age group by 13 strokes with a three-round total of 209 (66-71-72). It was her third Idaho Junior Amateur title.

In the summer of 2018, Strand placed second at the Idaho Women's State Amateur in Boise with a three-day total of 228, just four strokes behind the champion. At age 14, Strand was the youngest golfer in the women's field.

During the summer of 2021, Strand led Idaho to a runner-up finish at the Girls Junior Americas Cup at Banbury Golf Course in Eagle, Idaho. Strand fired a 64 in the second round to help Idaho finish with a team score of 610 (-16), just three strokes back of the champions from Team Mexico. Southern California finished third at 614 (-12).

PERSONAL

The daughter of Matt and Stephanie Strand, Kelli Ann was born on March 22, 2004. She has an older brother, Lane, who was also an Idaho Class 2A state champion and is standout college golfer at Northwest Nazarene. Kelli Ann was also the class valedictorian at Challis in a class of 14 seniors that included just one other female. Strand has not declared a major at Nebraska.

HONORS & AWARDS

- Three-Time Idaho Class 2A State Champion (2019, 2020, 2022)
- U.S. Junior Amateur Qualifier (2022)
- Girls Junior Americas Cup Runner-Up (2021, 2022)
- Idaho Women's Match Play Champion (2022)
- Idaho Women's Player of the Year (2021)
- Idaho Women's Amateur Champion (2021)
- Idaho Women's Amateur Runner-Up (2018, 2022)
- Idaho Junior Amateur Champion (2019)

BIG TEN CONFERENCE

Kevin Warren
Commissioner

Known as one of intercollegiate sports' most successful undertakings, the Big Ten is home to a lineage of legendary names and an ongoing tradition of developing strong leaders. Even in its infancy, the conference established itself as the preeminent collection of institutions in the nation, where the pursuit of academic excellence prevailed as the definitive goal.

The history of the Big Ten traces back more than 120 years to the Palmer House hotel in Chicago, where on January 11, 1895, then-Purdue president James H. Smart and leaders from the University of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, Northwestern University and University of Wisconsin set out to organize and develop principles for the regulation of intercollegiate athletics.

At that meeting, a blueprint for the administration of college athletics under the direction of appointed faculty representatives was outlined. The presidents' first known action "restricted eligibility for athletics to bonafide, full-time students who were not delinquent in their studies." That important legislation, along with other legislation that would follow in the coming years, served as the primary building block for intercollegiate athletics.

On February 8, 1896, one faculty member from each of those seven universities met at the same Palmer House and officially established the mechanics of the conference, which was officially incorporated as the "Intercollegiate Conference Athletic Association" in 1905.

Indiana University and the State University of Iowa became the eighth and ninth members in 1899. In 1908, Michigan briefly withdrew its membership, and in 1912 Ohio State University joined the conference, bringing its membership total back to nine. Upon Michigan's return in 1917, the conference was first referred to as the "Big Ten" by media members, and that name was eventually incorporated in 1987.

As the 1900s opened, faculty representatives established rules for intercollegiate athletics that were novel for the time. As early as 1904, the faculty approved legislation that required eligible athletes to meet entrance requirements and to have completed a full year's work, along with having one year of residence.

In 1901, the first Big Ten Championship event was staged when the outdoor track and field championships were held at the University of Chicago. The debut event marked what is now a staple of conference competition. Today, the Big Ten sponsors 28 official sports, 14 for men and 14 for women, including the addition of men's ice hockey and men's and women's lacrosse over the last four years. Big Ten schools compete in a total of 42 different sports, furthering the conference's commitment to broad-based programming and providing more participation opportunities than any conference in the country.

One of the conference's proudest traditions began in 1902 when Michigan took on Stanford in the Rose Bowl, the nation's first bowl game. Big Ten teams only appeared in Pasadena twice before the conference signed an exclusive contract with the Tournament of Roses in 1946, making it the first bowl game with permanent conference affiliations. But Michigan's appearance in 1902 cultivated a relationship that has endured for more than a century.

Coupling the academic goals set forth by the leaders of the charter members of the conference and their steadfast commitment to athletics, the conference instituted the Big Ten Medal of Honor in 1915. It is awarded annually by each conference institution to a student of the graduating class who has attained the greatest proficiency in scholarship and athletics. For more than 100 years, it has been the most prestigious honor a student competing in Big Ten athletics can receive.

In 1922, Major John L. Griffith became the conference's first "Commissioner of Athletics." Griffith was the first of six men to assume the role of commissioner in the conference's history, followed by Kenneth L. "Tug" Wilson in 1945, Bill Reed in 1961, Wayne Duke in 1971, Jim Delany in 1989, and current commissioner Kevin Warren in 2020.

After nearly 30 years with 10 members, the conference consolidated to nine schools when the University of Chicago formally withdrew its membership in 1946. Michigan State College (now Michigan State University) was added to the Big Ten three years later, bringing the number of affiliated conference schools to 10 once again.

In 1955, the Big Ten formulated a revenue-sharing model designed to pool all football television rights of its members and share those proceeds equally. The conference and its members continue to utilize a revenue-sharing model, dividing media rights, bowl payouts and other profits among all conference institutions.

While academics have always played an integral role in the conference, presidents of the Big Ten member institutions formalized the primacy of academics with the establishment of the Big Ten Academic Alliance (formerly the Committee on Institutional Cooperation) in 1958. The Big Ten Academic Alliance is an academic consortium of all Big Ten universities. Annually, the schools currently constituting the Big Ten Academic Alliance produced over $10 billion in funded research, $5 billion more than any other conference.

In one of Duke's first actions as commissioner, he oversaw the adoption of the Big Ten Advisory Commission in 1972, designed to study conference programs and make suggestions which would further Big Ten objectives. The Advisory Commission enlists former students that competed in Big Ten athletics to serve as liaisons to the NCAA's Diversity and Inclusion Department, the Big Ten Student-Athlete Advisory Commission and other organizations.

In 1981, the conference presidents and chancellors endorsed a proposal that enabled universities to affiliate their women's intercollegiate programs with the conference, and the first conference championships for women were staged that fall. The Big Ten was the first conference to voluntarily adopt male and female participation goals after launching its Gender Equity Action Plan in 1992.

In December of 1989, the conference agreed in principle to invite Pennsylvania State University for membership. On June 4, 1990, the Council of Presidents officially voted to integrate Penn State into the conference, giving the Big Ten 11 members.

In 2004, the Big Ten implemented a pilot program of instant replay for college football. Following the season, the conference forwarded replay proposals to the NCAA regarding the future use of instant replay, where it approved country-wide testing in 2005. In 2006, the NCAA approved the use of instant replay for all conferences.

In 2006, Delany announced the creation of the first conference-owned television network, a 20-year agreement with FOX Networks to create what would become the Big Ten Network (BTN). Launched on Aug. 30, 2007, BTN now produces more than 1,800 events across all platforms each year. BTN is in almost 60 million homes in the U.S. and Canada via the nation's major video providers and more than 300 additional video providers across the country. BTN is also available through the majority of OTT providers, and via the Fox Sports App, which delivers live and on-demand programming to computers, smartphones and tablets. In addition, the BTN+ platform streams hundreds of events each season.

On June 11, 2010, the Big Ten Council of Presidents/Chancellors (COP/C) approved a formal membership application by the University of Nebraska, expanding the conference to 12 institutions. Nebraska officially joined the Big Ten on July 1, 2011. The conference expanded its footprint further in 2012 when the COP/C approved formal membership applications from the University of Maryland and Rutgers University on November 19 and 20, respectively. Maryland and Rutgers became official Big Ten members on July 1, 2014, giving the conference almost 9,500 students participating in intercollegiate athletics and more than 11,000 participation opportunities on 350 teams.

Since opening in the fall of 2013, the Big Ten conference center hosts more than 300 meetings annually for member institutions, Big Ten Academic Alliance (formerly CIC) related committees and coaches' groups. The headquarters also features an interactive digital museum — the Big Ten Experience — which brings the conference's storied academic and athletic history to life. For more information on the Big Ten Experience, go to bigten.org.

In 2014, the Big Ten opened a second office in New York City, featuring both office and meeting space in Midtown Manhattan. Big Ten staff members are based in the New York City office to provide expanded coverage and service, while other conference and institutional administrators utilize the space as necessary when conducting business on the East Coast.

Warren and his staff work to meet the educational needs of student-athletes to allow them to excel in all areas of their lives. The conference office manages 27 different championships and tournaments, offers legislative and compliance services, oversees the production and distribution of more than 2,000 events annually, provides staff services to coaching and administrative personnel, and remains a vital resource for media and fans seeking information on the Big Ten.

During his first year, Warren has helped spark a number of groundbreaking conference initiatives. On March 7, 2020, in advance of the rising tide of the COVID-19 pandemic, the conference partnered with all 14 of its member institutions to create the Big Ten Task Force for Emerging Infectious Diseases. This group was formed to provide counsel and sound medical advice to ensure the health, safety and wellness of the Big Ten's students, coaches, administrators and fans. It includes representatives from a diverse set of disciplines across campus healthcare systems and schools of public health and their input serves as a resource for the conference in making important decisions based on information received from local, state and federal health departments, along with the NCAA.

Less than two months later on May 4, 2020, the conference announced the formation of the Big Ten Mental Health and Wellness Cabinet, featuring representation from all 14 member institutions, as well as sport affiliate members Johns Hopkins (men's and women's lacrosse) and Notre Dame (men's ice hockey). The goal of the cabinet is to promote optimal mental health for Big Ten student-athletes through a comprehensive, systemic and interdisciplinary approach to establishing mental health programs, while also providing counsel, advice and expertise to the conference office.

Following the death of Minneapolis resident George Floyd, Warren penned an open letter on June 1, 2020, announcing the formation of what became known as the Big Ten Equality Coalition. This group, which features student-athletes, coaches, athletic directors, chancellors, presidents and other members of the Big Ten family from all 14 member institutions, has a stated goal of seeking tangible ways to actively and constructively combat racism and hate around the world, while also empowering student-athletes to express their rights to free speech and peaceful protest. The United States Library of Congress selected Warren's open letter for inclusion in its historic collection.

A product of the conversations emerging from the coalition was the creation of the Big Ten Voter Registration Initiative. This non-partisan, conference-wide collaboration encourages student-athletes to take part in the electoral process and is led by a Voter Registration Committee that includes representatives from all 14 Big Ten institutions. The Voter Registration Committee has partnered with the National Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law to develop educational programming and outreach tools, and to collaborate with other established civic platforms.

More than 125 years after its inception, the Big Ten remains a national leader in intercollegiate athletics on and off the field. Big Ten programs have combined to win more than 450 team and 1,800 individual national championships, consistently taking home individual honors for athletic and academic accomplishments and fulfilling the Big Ten's mission of academic achievement and athletic success.

BIG TEN ADMINISTRATION

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MARYLAND TERRAPINS

Location: College Park, Md.
Enrollment: 30,875
Colors: Red, White, Black and Gold
President: Darryll Pines
Athletic Director: Damon Evans
Head Coach: Kelly Hovland
Head Coach Phone: (301) 405-2382
Home Course: Univ. of Maryland Golf Course
Big Ten Finish: 6th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Patrice Mackova
Golf SID: Langston Frazier
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NORTHWESTERN WILDCATS

Location: Evanston, Ill.
Enrollment: 8,194
Color: Purple
President: Michael Schill
Athletic Director: Derrick Gragg
Head Coach: Emily Fletcher
Head Coach Phone: (847) 467-2296
Home Course: The Glen Club
Big Ten Finish: T3rd
NCAA Stanford Regional: T4th/12
Top Returnee: Jennifer Cai
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Golf SID Phone: (847) 467-2028
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PURDUE BOILERMAKERS

Location: West Lafayette, Ind.
Enrollment: 37,101
Colors: Old Gold and Black
President: Mitch Daniels
Athletic Director: Mike Bobinski
Head Coach: Zack Byrd
Head Coach Phone: (765) 494-4311
Home Course: Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex
Big Ten Finish: 7th
NCAA Championship: 12th
Top Returnee: Kan Bunnabodee
Golf SID: Adam Kuffner
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ILLINOIS FIGHTING ILLINI

Location: Urbana-Champaign, Ill.
Enrollment: 33,492
Colors: Orange and Blue
Chancellor: Robert J. Jones
Athletic Director: Josh Whitman
Head Coach: Renee Slone
Head Coach Phone: (217) 333-8610
Home Course: Atkins Golf Club in Stone Creek
Big Ten Finish: 5th
NCAA Tallahassee Regional: 9th/12
Top Returnee: Isabel Sy
Golf SID: Libby Knight
Golf SID Phone: (217) 714-1218
Golf SID E-mail: eknight2@illinois.edu
Website: fightingillini.com

MICHIGAN WOLVERINES

Location: Ann Arbor, Mich.
Enrollment: 32,282
Colors: Maize and Blue
President: Mary Sue Coleman
Athletic Director: Warde Manuel
Head Coach: Jan Dowling
Head Coach Phone: (734) 615-6928
Home Course: U-M Golf Course
Big Ten Finish: 1st
NCAA Championship Finish: 20th
Top Returnee: Monet Chun
Golf SID: Tom Wywrot
Golf SID Phone: (734) 647-1268
Golf SID E-mail: twywrot@umich.edu
Website: mgoblue.com

OHIO STATE BUCKEYES

Location: Columbus, Ohio
Enrollment: 44,494
Colors: Scarlet and Gray
President: Kristina M. Johnson
Athletic Director: Gene Smith
Director of Golf: Lisa Strom
Head Coach Phone: (614) 292-3809
Home Course: Scarlet Course
Big Ten Finish: T3rd
NCAA Ann Arbor Regional: 8th/12
Top Returnee: Faith Choi
Golf SID: Dan Wallenberg
Golf SID Phone: (614) 292-4095
Golf SID E-mail: wallenberg.1@osu.edu
Website: ohiostatebuckeyes.com

RUTGERS SCARLET KNIGHTS

Location: Piscataway, N.J.
Enrollment: 36,039
Colors: Scarlet and White
President: Jonathan Holloway
Athletic Director: Patrick Hobbs
Head Coach: Kari Williams
Head Coach Phone: (732) 445-7844
Home Course: University Ridge Golf Course
Big Ten Finish: 11th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Anna-Maria Diederichs
Golf SID: Bradly Derechailo
Golf SID Phone: (732) 445-7028
Golf SID E-mail: ..bderechailo@scarletknights.com
Website: scarletknights.com

INDIANA HOOSIERS

Location: Bloomington, Ind.
Enrollment: 32,986
Colors: Cream and Crimson
President: Pamela Whitten
Athletic Director: Scott Dolson
Head Coach: Brian May
Head Coach Phone: (812) 856-5280
Home Course: The Pfau Course
Big Ten Finish: 13th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Valerie Clancy
Golf SID: Charlie Duffy
Golf SID Phone: (812) 855-4770
Golf SID E-mail: csduffy@indiana.edu
Website: iuhoosiers.com

MICHIGAN STATE SPARTANS

Location: East Lansing, Mich.
Enrollment: 38,491
Colors: Green and White
President: Samuel L. Stanley
Athletic Director: Alan Haller
Head Coach: Stacy Slobodnik-Stoll
Head Coach Phone: (517) 432-1438
Home Course: Forest Akers West Golf Course
Big Ten Finish: 2nd
NCAA Stillwater Regional: 5th/12
Top Returnee: Valery Plata
Golf SID: Mike "Mex" Carey
Golf SID Phone: (517) 355-2271
Golf SID E-mail: carey@ath.msu.edu
Website: msuspartans.com

PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS

Location: University Park, Pa.
Enrollment: 40,639
Colors: Blue and White
President: Eric J. Barron
Director of Athletics: Patrick Kraft
Head Coach: Denise St. Pierre
Head Coach Phone: (817) 863-2396
Home Course: PSU Blue and White Courses
Big Ten Finish: 10th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Mathilde DelaVallade
Golf SID: John Hanna
Golf SID Phone: (814) 441-3218
Golf SID E-mail: jrh486@psu.edu
Website: gopsusports.com

WISCONSIN BADGERS

Location: Madison, Wis.
Enrollment: 33,506
Colors: Cardinal and White
Chancellor: Jennifer L. Mnookin
Athletic Director: Chris McIntosh
Head Coach: Todd Oehrlein
Head Coach Phone: (608) 265-3117
Home Course: University Ridge Golf Course
Big Ten Finish: 9th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Chloe Chan
Golf SID: Jessica Burda Leslie
Golf SID Phone: (608) 444-6588
Golf SID E-mail: JDB@athletics.wisc.edu
Website: uwbadgers.com

IOWA HAWKEYES

Location: Iowa City, Iowa
Enrollment: 22,304
Colors: Black and Gold
President: Barbara J. Wilson
Athletic Director: Gary Barta
Head Coach: Megan Menzel
Head Coach Phone: (319) 335-9259
Home Courses: Finkbine Golf Course
Big Ten Finish: 14th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Paula Miranda
Golf SID: Hannah Ossman
Golf SID Phone: (319) 335-9411
Golf SID E-mail: .. hannah-ossman@uiowa.edu
Website: hawkeyesports.com

MINNESOTA GOLDEN GOPHERS

Location: Minneapolis, Minn.
Enrollment: 36,061
Colors: Maroon and Gold
President: Joan Gabel
Athletic Director: Mark Coyle
Head Coach: Rhyll Brinsmead
Head Coach Phone: (612) 625-6063
Home Course: Tournament Players Club of the Twin Cities
Big Ten Finish: 12th
NCAA Finish: Did Not Compete
Top Returnee: Grace Curran
Golf SID: Gabe Schneider
Golf SID Phone: (612) 624-1023
Golf SID E-mail: schn1361@umn.edu
Website: gophersports.com

Kate Smith captured the 2021 Big Ten individual title with the best final round (64, -8) in tournament history.

BAETE EARNS NCAA BID, ALL-BIG TEN HONORS

Nebraska captured seven top-25 individual finishes, including five top-five showings on its way to a team title at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in September of 2021. The 2021-22 Huskers (front row from left): Lena Hassert, Miu Takahashi, Lindsey Thiele, Andrea Velez, Nicole Hansen; (back row from left): Associate Head Coach Jeanne Sutherland, Kirsten Baete, Michaela Vavrova, Head Coach Lisa Johnson, Vanessa Bouvet, Brooke Bream, Megan Whittaker.

The Nebraska women's golf continued to solidify itself on the national level in 2021-22.

Fifth-year senior Kirsten Baete led the Big Red by earning an individual NCAA Regional bid after capturing All-Big Ten honors and a spot on the Big Ten All-Championship Team with her fourth-place finish at the conference tournament.

Baete, who capped her collegiate career with a tie for 30th at the NCAA Stanford Regional, led the Huskers on and off the course. She produced a 73.94 season stroke average while earning six top-20 individual tournament finishes.

The second-team All-Big Ten choice from Beatrice, Neb., won her first college title with a 206 (-10) at the White Sands Intercollegiate.

Baete also was one of just five Husker seniors across all sports to earn a Nebraska Outstanding Scholar Award by posting better than a 3.9 cumulative grade-point average during her college career. A four-time WGCA Scholastic All-American and a four-time Big Ten Distinguished Scholar, Baete was also Nebraska's Big Ten Outstanding Sportsmanship Award winner across all sports in 2022.

With Baete leading the way, the Huskers finished seventh at the Big Ten Championship and just missed a second straight NCAA Regional bid as a team.

Megan Whittaker enjoyed an outstanding season of her own, finishing with a 74.04 stroke average - representing better than a 4.5 stroke per round improvement over her junior season in 2020-21.

Whittaker, a true senior from Elkhorn, Neb., claimed her first two career top-10 finishes. She tied for sixth (215) at the Dale McNamara Invitational during the fall, before tying for seventh at the Westbrook Spring Invitational with a career-best 211. She also went a perfect 3-0 at the Big Ten Match Play to open the spring.

Whittaker, who just missed an NCAA Regional bid of her own, went on to an outstanding summer of 2022 with wins at both the Nebraska Women's Amateur and Nebraska Women's Match Play before qualifying for the U.S. Women's Amateur.

A four-time WGCA Scholastic All-American and three-time Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and Academic All-Big Ten pick, Whittaker also earned her bachelor's degree from Nebraska as a finance major in May of 2022.

Whittaker was joined on the graduation stage by teammates Vanessa Bouvet and Nicole Hansen, who both produced breakthrough seasons as seniors.

Bouvet finished third among the Huskers with a 74.67 stroke average that included four top-10 individual showings during the year. Bouvet (France/Brunei), opened the season by tying Baete for fifth at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational. Bouvet added a tie for seventh at the Molly Collegiate before tying Whittaker for sixth with a 215 at the Dale McNamara Invitational. Bouvet tied for ninth at the Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational before concluding her Husker career with a tie for 24th at the Big Ten Championship.

Hansen saw the most extensive playing time of her career after sharing the individual title with sophomore teammate Lindsey Thiele at the Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational in September. Hansen closed her career competing in the Nebraska lineup at the 2022 Big Ten Championship.

Hansen and Thiele both carded career-best scores of 219 (+3) in Manhattan, Kan. Thiele (Wahoo, Neb.) also continued her excellence in the classroom and the community in her second season as a Husker. A two-time WGCA Scholastic All-American, Thiele was also a Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and an Academic All-Big Ten choice in 2022. She was a winner of a prestigious Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award in 2022 for her extensive community service.

The Huskers also continued to get consistent contributions from Michaela Vavrova. The sophomore from Bojnice, Slovakia, posted a pair of top-10 finishes that included an individual title at the Stampede at The Creek. She added a tie for 10th with a career-best-tying 217 (+1) at the White Sands Intercollegiate to help the Big Red to a runner-up team finish in the Bahamas.

Vavrova wrapped up her second season at Nebraska as NU's No. 2 finisher in a tie for 17th at the Big Ten Championship. Her performance at the conference tournament included a career-best 68 (-3) to sit atop the leaderboard through 18 holes.

Miu Takahashi also made a major impact in her first season at Nebraska. The true freshman from Japan trailed only Baete (33) by competing in 29 rounds in 2021-22. Takahashi closed the year with a 77.55 stroke average and competed at the Big Ten Championship. Fellow freshmen Andrea Velez and Lena Hassert also helped the Huskers by competing in nine rounds during the season.

Following the completion of the season, Head Coach Lisa Johnson ended her three-year stint at Nebraska. Johnson left Lincoln after her husband, John Johnson, was named the Athletic Director at Portland State.

Coach Johnson was succeeded by two-time NCAA Regional and four-time conference coach of the year Jeanne Sutherland, who served as Nebraska's Associate Head Coach in 2021-22.

2021-22 NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL STROKE AVERAGES

Golfer	Strokes	Rounds	Average
Kirsten Baete	2,440	33	73.94
Megan Whittaker	1,999	27	74.04
Vanessa Bouvet	2,016	27	74.67
Michaela Vavrova	2,062	27	76.37
Lindsey Thiele	1,384	18	76.89
Andrea Velez	693	9	77.00
Miu Takahashi	2,249	29	77.55
Nicole Hansen	1,428	18	79.33
Lena Hassert	748	9	83.11
Team	**8,963**	**30**	**298.77**

2021-22 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Fifth-year senior Kirsten Baete led Nebraska with a 73.94 stroke average and six top-20 finishes in 2021-22. Baete earned a bid to the NCAA Stanford Regional after finishing fourth individually at the 2022 Big Ten Championship.

KIRSTEN BAETE

Tournament	Results	Place
Wolverine Invitational	71-76-76-223	T40th
Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	72-76-74-222	T5th
The Molly Collegiate	74-80-78-232	T39th
Dale McNamara Invitational	74-75-70-219	T14th
White Sands Intercollegiate	67-67-72-206	1st
Big Ten Match Play	2-1	
Tulane Classic	89-66-76-231	T17th
Westbrook Spring Invitational	73-74-68-215	T17th
Briar's Creek Invitational	75-74-76-225	T36th
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	77-80-78-235	T25th
Big Ten Championship	71-73-68-212	4th
NCAA Stanford Regional	75-76-69-220	T30th
Season Totals	2,440 Strokes/33 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	73.94	
Season Low Round	66 (Tulane, 2nd)	
Top Five Finishes	3/11	
Top 10 Finishes	3/11	
Top 20 Finishes	6/11	

MEGAN WHITTAKER

Tournament	Results	Place
Wolverine Invitational	83-73-74-230	T58th
Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	75-77-74-226	T23rd
Dale McNamara Invitational	70-74-71-215	T6th
White Sands Intercollegiate	72-74-72-218	T13th
Big Ten Match Play	3-0	
Tulane Classic	83-72-78-233	T24th
Westbrook Spring Invitational	70-72-69-211	T7th
Briar's Creek Invitational	71-73-76-220	T18th
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	79-80-74-223	T23rd
Big Ten Championship	77-72-74-223	T33rd
Season Totals	1,999 Strokes/27 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	74.04	
Season Low Round	69 (Westbrook, 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/9	
Top 10 Finishes	2/9	
Top 20 Finishes	4/9	

VANESSA BOUVET

Tournament	Results	Place
Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	75-72-75-222	T5th
The Molly Collegiate	78-73-69-220	T7th
Dale McNamara Invitational	78-68-69-215	T6th
White Sands Intercollegiate	76-70-75-221	T17th
Big Ten Match Play	1-2	
Tulane Classic	84-78-83-245	67th
Westbrook Spring Invitational	68-72-73-213	T13th
Briar's Creek Invitational	81-73-78-232	T70th
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	75-76-76-227	T9th
Big Ten Championship	78-71-72-221	T24th
Season Totals	2,016 Strokes/27 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	74.67	
Season Low Round	68 (Westbrook, 1st)	
	68 (Dale McNamara, 2nd)	
Top Five Finishes	1/9	
Top 10 Finishes	4/9	
Top 20 Finishes	6/9	

MICHAELA VAVROVA

Tournament	Results	Place
Wolverine Invitational	78-75-80-233	T65th
Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	76-78-81-235	42nd
*Stampede at The Creek	74-71-72-217	1st
Dale McNamara Invitational	81-78-74-233	T56th
White Sands Intercollegiate	74-69-74-217	T10th
Big Ten Match Play	0-1-2	
Tulane Classic	89-87-77-253	84th
Westbrook Spring Invitational	76-69-74-219	T30th
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	83-77-75-235	T25th
Big Ten Championship	68-73-79-220	T17th
Season Totals	2,062 Strokes/27 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	76.37	
Season Low Round	68 (Big Ten, 1st)	
Top Five Finishes	1/9	
Top 10 Finishes	2/9	
Top 20 Finishes	3/9	

***competed as an individual outside the Husker lineup**

LINDSEY THIELE

Tournament	Results	Place
Wolverine Invitational	78-77-82-237	76th
*Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	70-71-78-219	T1st
The Molly Collegiate	84-79-77-240	T67th
*Dale McNamara Invitational	77-79-78-234	59th
*White Sands Intercollegiate	74-74-74-222	T21st
Big Ten Match Play	0-1	
Briar's Creek Invitational	76-76-80-232	T70th
Season Totals	1,384 Strokes/18 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	76.89	
Season Low Round	70 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 1st)	
Top Five Finishes	1/6	
Top 10 Finishes	1/6	
Top 20 Finishes	1/6	

***competed as an individual outside the Husker lineup**

2021-22 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

ANDREA VELEZ

Tournament	Results	Place
*Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	75-75-75-225	T19th
*Stampede at The Creek	80-83-82-245	T32nd
*White Sands Intercollegiate	74-77-72-223	T23rd
Season Totals	693 Strokes/9 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	77.00	
Season Low Round	72 (White Sands, 3rd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/3	
Top 10 Finishes	0/3	
Top 20 Finishes	1/4	

competed as an individual outside the Husker lineup

MIU TAKAHASHI

Tournament	Results	Place
Wolverine Invitational	79-81-78-238	T77th
*Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	75-68-79-222	T5th
The Molly Collegiate	75-76-76-226	T18th
Dale McNamara Invitational	71-81-80-232	T53rd
White Sands Intercollegiate	72-76-76-224	T25th
Big Ten Match Play	1-0-1	
*Tulane Classic	DQ-83-79-162	DQ
Westbrook Spring Invitational	72-73-74-219	T30th
Briar's Creek Invitational	76-83-75-234	T77th
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	84-83-84-251	57th
Big Ten Championship	82-77-82-241	T80th
Season Totals	2,249 Strokes/29 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	77.55	
Season Low Round	68 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2nd)	
Top Five Finishes	1/10	
Top 10 Finishes	1/10	
Top 20 Finishes	2/10	

competed as an individual outside the Husker lineup

NICOLE HANSEN

Tournament	Results	Place
*Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	70-77-72-219	T1st
The Molly Collegiate	80-86-84-250	T77th
*White Sands Intercollegiate	83-75-83-241	41st
Tulane Classic	85-78-84-247	T72nd
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	80-76-79-235	T25th
Big Ten Championship	81-77-78-236	T73rd
Season Totals	1,428 Strokes/18 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	79.33	
Season Low Round	70 (Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 1st)	
Top Five Finishes	1/5	
Top 10 Finishes	1/5	
Top 20 Finishes	1/5	

competed as an individual outside the Husker lineup

LENA HASSERT

Tournament	Results	Place
Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	89-82-85-256	60th
*Stampede at The Creek	83-75-84-242	T29th
*White Sands Intercollegiate	83-88-79-250	42nd
Season Totals	748 Strokes/9 Rounds	
2021-22 Stroke Average	83.11	
Season Low Round	75 (Stampede at The Creek, 2nd)	
Top Five Finishes	0/3	
Top 10 Finishes	0/3	
Top 20 Finishes	0/3	

competed as an individual outside the Husker lineup

2021-22 NEBRASKA TEAM RESULTS

Tournament	Place/Teams (Round-by-Round Score)
Wolverine Invitational (Sept. 13-14)	T14th/16 (306-301-308=915)
Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational (Sept. 20-21)	6th/10 (298-303-304=905)
The Molly Collegiate (Sept. 27-28)	7th/14 (307-308-299=914)
Dale McNamara Invitational (Oct. 11-12)	2nd/13 (293-295-284=872)
White Sands Intercollegiate (Oct. 22-24)	2nd/7 (285-280-293=858)
Big Ten Match Play Championships (Jan. 31-Feb. 1)	1-2-0
Tulane Classic (Feb. 13-15)	11th/17 (341-294-314=949)
Westbrook Spring Invitational (Feb. 27-28)	2nd/14 (283-286-284=853)
Briar's Creek Invitational (March 14-15)	T11th/17 (298-296-305=899)
Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational (April 15-16)	5th/10 (311-309-303=923)
Big Ten Championship (April 22-24)	7th/14 (294-289-292=875)
Season Totals	8,963/30 Rounds
2021-22 Team Stroke Average	298.77
Season Low Round	280 (White Sands, 2nd)
Season Low (54 Holes)	853 (Westbrook)
Tournament Titles	0/10
Top Five Finishes	4/10
Top 10 Finishes	7/10

INDIVIDUAL CAREER-BEST ROUND

Golfer	Score (Round)
Kirsten Baete	66 (2022 Tulane, 2nd)
	66 (2019 Westbrook, 2nd)
Vanessa Bouvet	68 (2022 Westbrook, 1st)
	68 (2021 Dale McNamara, 2nd)
	68 (2018 Ptarmigan Ram, 2nd)
Miu Takahashi	68 (2021 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 2nd)
Michaela Vavrova	68 (2022 Big Ten, 1st)
Megan Whittaker	69 (2022 Westbrook, 3rd)
	69 (2019 Battle at the Beach, 2nd)
Nicole Hansen	70 (2021 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 1st)
Lindsey Thiele	70 (2021 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower, 1st)
Andrea Velez	72 (2021 White Sands, 3rd)
Lena Hassert	75 (2021 Stampede at The Creek, 2nd)

INDIVIDUAL CAREER-BEST TOURNAMENT

Golfer	Three Rounds
Kirsten Baete	206 (2021 White Sands)
Megan Whittaker	211 (2022 Westbrook)
Vanessa Bouvet	213 (2022 Westbrook)
Michaela Vavrova	217 (2021 White Sands)
	217 (2021 Stampede at The Creek)
Nicole Hansen	219 (2021 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower)
Miu Takahashi	219 (2022 Westbrook)
Lindsey Thiele	219 (2021 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower)
Andrea Velez	223 (2021 White Sands)
Lena Hassert	242 (2021 Stampede at The Creek)

NEBRASKA'S 2021-22 BIG TEN GOLFERS OF THE WEEK

Sept. 22, 2021 - Nicole Hansen & Lindsey Thiele
Oct. 6, 2021 - Michaela Vavrova
Oct. 27, 2021 - Kirsten Baete
March 2, 2022 - Megan Whittaker

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

LARRY ROMJUE (1975-79)

The first head coach of the Nebraska women's golf team, Larry Romjue guided the program to a successful start in its first four seasons. Under Romjue, the Huskers won the 1975-76 Big Eight Conference title, qualified for the 1976 AIAW Championships and finished second at the AIAW Region Six meet in 1977. Romjue retired in 2001 after 31 seasons as the men's coach.

1975-76

Finish	Meet	Total	Rounds
4th/12	Regional Tournament	n/a	n/a
5th/14	Missouri Invitational	704	n/a
2nd/8	Illinois Invitational	704	n/a
1st/6	**Big Eight Tournament**	**684**	**n/a**
22nd/35	AIAW Nationals	683	n/a

1976-77

7th/19	Susie Maxwell Berning	665	327-338
2nd	AIAW Region 6	n/a	n/a
5th/7	Sooner Invitational	1,051	349-360-342
4th/6	Big Eight Tournament	705	352-353

1977-78

Fall			
14th/18	Susie Maxwell Berning	1,032	332-349-351
6th/16	AIAW Region 6	709	361-348
Spring			
6th/15	Illinois Invitational	711	365-346
5th/6	Big Eight Tournament	675	344-331
2nd/8	Minnesota Invitational	705	342-363

1978-79

Fall			
1st/6	**Omaha Invitational**	**336**	**336**
5th/11	Iowa State Invitational	677	343-334
5th/18	AIAW Region 6	671	337-334
3rd/8	Kansas Invitational	707	368-339
6th/13	Missouri Invitational	674	340-334
Spring			
1st/5	**Wichita State Invitational**	**707**	**368-339**
2nd/3	Kansas Invitational	352	352
4th/7	Big Eight Tournament	1,023	333-345-365
5th/12	Minnesota Invitational	696	n/a

JERRY FISHER (1979-87)

The second head coach of the Nebraska women's golf team, Jerry Fisher led the Huskers to 12 tournament titles, including the 1980-81 AIAW Region Six championship and the 1983 Big Eight Tournament championship. He spent eight seasons as Nebraska's head coach.

In addition to his Husker head coaching duties, Fisher served as the head golf pro at the Country Club of Lincoln from 1972 to 1987.

1979-80

Fall			
18th/21	Susie Maxwell Berning	982	317-335-330
6th/13	Iowa State Golf Invitational	669	336-333
5th/8	AIAW Region 6	672	337-335
4th/9	Kansas Invitational	708	356-352
5th/12	Missouri Invitational	675	339-336
Spring			
10th/13	Texas A&M Invitational	1,090	370-374-346
n/a	Lamar Invitational	1,012	351-326-335
1st/9	**Iowa Invitational**	**646**	**318-328**
5th/7	Big Eight Tournament	991	334-333-324
n/a	Minnesota Invitational	670	343-327

1980-81

Fall			
n/a	Susie Maxwell Berning	977	322-337-318
1st/13	**Iowa State Invitational**	**627**	**315-312**
2nd/6	Kansas Invitational	659	329-330
1st/9	**Missouri Invitational**	**658**	**334-324**
1st	**Iowa Invitational**	**629**	**311-318**
1st	**AIAW Region 6**	**622**	**314-308**
Spring			
21st/21	Betsy Rawls Invitational	1,049	362-339-348
n/a	Rayburn Invitational	1,004	330-338-336
n/a	Lamar Invitational	957	324-319-314
4th/10	Sooner Invitational	949	321-315-311
4th/7	Big Eight Tournament	972	330-322-320

1981-82

Fall			
17th/21	Susie Maxwell Berning	971	317-322-332
2nd/11	Iowa State Invitational	949	317-315-317
2nd/6	Kansas Invitational	988	339-328-321
2nd/10	Missouri Invitational	954	313-320-321
11th/15	Torneo Femenil De Golf	956	321-327-308
Spring			
1st/3	**Spring Break Tournament**	**932**	**312-319-301**
3rd/9	Sooner Invitational	969	337-324-308
1st/10	**Iowa Invitational**	**941**	**310-313-318**
4th/7	Big Eight Tournament	992	329-331-332

1982-83

Fall			
T15th/18	Susie Maxwell Berning	974	334-311-329
2nd/9	Iowa State Invitational	987	331-330-326
3rd/7	Kansas Invitational	975	322-330-323
1st/6	**Missouri Invitational**	**948**	**323-324-301**
11th/12	Torneo Femenil De Golf	944	314-308-322
Spring			
2nd/4	Iowa Spring Fling	n/a	n/a
2nd/6	Iowa Invitational	977	331-310-336
2nd/7	Missouri Invitational	320	320
1st/7	**Big Eight Tournament**	**958**	**322-317-319**

1983-84

Fall			
13th/16	Susie Maxwell Berning	974	334-311-329
5th/19	Lady Northern	937	305-311-321
2nd/6	Missouri Invitational	971	322-331-318
1st/8	**Kansas Invitational**	**965**	**331-319-315**
Spring			
16th/18	South Alabama Invitational	1,013	337-358-318
4th/8	Oklahoma Invitational	1,012	338-339-335
1st/6	**Wichita State Invitational**	**998**	**326-345-327**
2nd/6	Kansas State Invitational	989	342-329-318
2nd/7	Big Eight Tournament	959	326-326-317

1984-85

Fall			
5th/15	Susie Maxwell Berning	975	334-325-332
9th/15	OSU Cowgirl	986	329-325-332
3rd/7	Panther Invitational	950	316-325-309
4th/8	Kansas Invitational	676	335-341
2nd/9	Missouri Invitational	984	335-335-314
Spring			
4th/4	Rayburn Invitational	1,020	330-350-340
4th/7	Oklahoma Invitational	999	332-333-344
8th/16	Illinois Invitational	1,023	339-353-331
5th/10	Purdue Invitational	997	340-319-338
T5th/7	Big Eight Tournament	1,027	335-345-347

1985-86

Fall			
3rd/6	Minnesota Invitational	978	326-327-325
10th/12	OSU Cowgirl	1,017	338-338-341
15th/18	Tulsa Invitational	682	332-350
11th/15	Alabama Invitational	661	323-338
Spring			
4th/6	Iowa Invitational	677	340-337
6th/9	North Texas Lady Eagle	655	320-335
5th/12	Susie Maxwell Berning	1,002	330-338-334
3rd/8	Kansas State Classic	710	367-343
3rd/7	Big Eight Tournament	955	328-311-316

1986-87

Fall			
3rd/10	Cyclone Golf Classic	982	323-330-329
12th/12	All College Kickoff	971	324-325-322
1st/8	**Northern Iowa Invitational**	**971**	**328-331-312**
6th/12	Duke Fall Invitational	981	321-329-331
4th/12	Kansas Jayhawk Invitational	998	327-330-341
Spring			
5th/14	North Texas State Invitational	649	326-323
13th/14	Susie Maxwell Berning	1,062	355-357-350
6th/12	Missouri Invitational	668	342-326
T5th/7	Big Eight Tournament	989	335-322-322

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

ROBIN KRAPFL (1987-2019)

The third head coach of the Nebraska women's golf team, Robin Krapfl led the Huskers to 31 tournament victories, 11 NCAA Regional appearances and three NCAA Tournament berths (2000, 2003, 2006). A two-time Big Eight Coach of the Year, Krapfl spent 32 seasons as NU's head coach after serving as the women's golf assistant coach for three years. She has guided the Big Red to more than 2,300 victories and led NU to 100-win seasons on 10 occasions. She retired following the 2018-19 season.

1987-88

Fall			
4th/9	Iowa State Invitational	993	327-331-335
5th/8	Iowa Invitational	1,065	326-351-362
7th/9	Brigham Young Invitational	1,016	341-341-334
10th/10	Kickoff Classic	1,020	350-331-339
3rd/5	Minnesota Invitational	670	343-327
2nd/8	Kansas Invitational	994	330-332-332
Spring			
5th/11	North Texas Lady Eagle	644	322-322
9th/12	Oklahoma Invitational	1,017	345-329-343
2nd/9	Nebraska Invitational	952	325-322-305
7th/14	USA-Gulf Shores Invitational	958	317-318-323
5th/7	Big Eight Tournament	1,011	335-324-352

1988-89

Fall			
2nd/9	Iowa State Invitational	646	322-324
6th/13	Ohio State Invitational	961	317-313-331
13th/17	Lady Tar Heel Invitational	983	321-327-335
15th/18	Dick McGuire Invitational	989	326-332-331
1st/7	**Northern Illinois Invitational**	**642**	**318-324**
9th/11	U.S. International Invitational	983	327-343-313
Spring			
7th/12	Utah-Dixie Classic	943	314-308-321
4th/10	USF-Summerfield Invitational	957	327-314-316
4th/7	Rainbow Wahine Classic	949	313-322-314
9th/12	Lady Paladin	332	332
1st/6	**Husker Golf Invitational**	**964**	**329-326-309**
4th/7	Big Eight Tournament	964	329-326-309

1989-90

Fall			
3rd/9	Hawkeye Invitational	954	316-315-323
8th	Kickoff Classic	1,013	338-336-339
1st/13	**Spartan Fall Invitational**	**933**	**317-307-309**
5th/16	Buckeye Classic	956	320-306-330
Spring			
3rd/17	North-South Collegiate	973	320-331-322
T7th/17	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	952	312-324-316
12th/14	South Carolina Invitational	981	333-320-328
1st/9	**Rio Rico-Hawkeye**	**925**	**311-308-306**
1st/7	**Missouri Invitational**	**615**	**304-311**
5th/7	Big Eight Tournament	968	320-324-324
6th/13	Southern Intercollegiate	974	339-316-319

1990-91

Fall			
8th/10	Cyclone Invitational	681	345-336
4th/8	Minnesota Invitational	993	330-329-334
10th/18	Diet Coke-Roadrunner Classic	958	322-321-315
T13th/16	Dick McGuire Golf Invitational	1,002	335-337-330
19th/19	Lady Buckeye Invitational	1,083	360-335-388
Spring			
10th/18	North-South Invitational	1,029	354-324-351
6th/19	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	969	326-326-317
T11th/13	South Carolina Invitational	983	321-332-330
2nd/5	Husker Golf Classic	965	324-311-330
3rd/7	Big Eight Tournament	975	317-332-326

1991-92

Fall			
2nd/12	Cyclone Golf Classic	636	313-323
9th/17	Diet Coke-Roadrunner Classic	958	322-321-315
4th/18	Spartan Invitational	932	311-315-306
11th/18	Dick McGuire Invitational	968	322-324-322
3rd/12	Hawkeye Invitational	975	325-318-332
Spring			
9th/18	Peggy Kirk Bell Invitational	1,002	336-335-331
8th/14	Rainbow Wahine Classic	952	322-314-316
3rd/7	Husker Golf Invitational	950	322-314-314
14th	Southern Intercollegiate	990	332-334-324
7th/7	Big Eight Tournament	977	329-327-321

1992-93

Fall			
2nd/5	Husker Invitational	956	319-316-321
9th/12	Oregon Golf Invitational	987	324-325-338
5th/8	Cyclone Invitational	700	349-351
7th/12	Lady Buckeye	1,008	338-334-336
14th/18	Lady Kat Invitational	981	332-322-327
Spring			
5th/15	Utah-Dixie Classic	959	323-313-323
14th/16	Rainbow Wahine Classic	988	329-325-334
5th/11	Susie Maxwell Berning	977	330-321-326
T12th/19	Southern Intercollegiate	996	340-334-322
4th/7	Big Eight Tournament	1,007	339-340-328

1993-94

Fall			
12th/16	Diet Coke-Roadrunner Classic	1,012	339-336-337
1st/7	**Husker Classic**	**925**	**312-309-304**
8th/16	Memphis State Invitational	979	333-322-324
8th/14	Lady Kat Invitational	964	321-317-326
2nd/9	Marilynn Smith/Jayhawk	943	323-304-316
Spring			
T4th/14	Guadalajara Invitational	945	319-317-309
T1st/4	**Midwest Golf Classic**	**628**	**314-314**
6th/19	Utah-Dixie Classic	947	314-318-315
1st/8	**UNT/SMU Invitational**	**627**	**314-313**
8th/20	Southern Intercollegiate	967	324-315-328
4th/7	Big Eight Championship	939	315-314-310
16th/19	NCAA West Regional	933	313-312-308

1994-95

Fall			
4th/12	Gopher Invitational	969	328-322-319
5th/17	Diet Coke-Roadrunner Classic	944	318-312-314
5th/14	Memphis Intercollegiate	960	322-323-315
1st/13	**Husker Golf Classic**	**936**	**315-311-310**
12th/20	Lady Kat Invitational	965	321-328-316
Spring			
9th/18	UCLA Bruin Classic	941	312-311-318
7th/12	River Wilderness Intercollegiate	640	318-322
5th/18	Utah-Dixie Classic	649	319-310
2nd/17	Texas A&M "Mo" Morial	926	304-305-317
4th/19	Rainbow Wahine Classic	937	318-308-311
3rd/8	Big Eight Championship	985	338-328-319
12th/20	NCAA West Regional	916	297-311-308

1995-96

Fall			
2nd/17	Chip-N Club Invitational	948	318-311-319
4th/18	Nike Northwest	918	305-308-305
11th/18	Dick McGuire Invitational	934	307-316-311
10th/16	Diet Coke Invitational	958	328-313-317
2nd/14	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invite	958	310-313-335
7th/23	San Diego State Fall Classic	649	333-316
Spring			
3rd/14	Monica Welsh Memorial	960	318-323-319
16th/24	Fripp Island/Ben Hogan	684	347-337
6th/19	Rainbow Wahine Classic	940	314-312-314
6th/17	Utah-Dixie Classic	954	324-318-312
T3rd/8	Big Eight Championship	974	334-335-305
T11th/20	NCAA West Regional	961	306-324-331

1996-97

Fall			
1st/7	**Lady Lion Invitational**	**605**	**304-301**
2nd/14	Chip-N Club Invitational	948	317-320-311
8th/18	Lady Tar Heel Invitational	939	318-311-310
1st/12	**Big 12 Preview**	**909**	**300-296-313**
2nd/14	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invite	955	321-317-317
8th/19	Roadrunner Invitational	974	341-315-318
Spring			
T13th/18	UCLA Bruin Invitational	1,006	338-339-329
11th/15	Betsy Rawls Invitational	964	331-311-322
10th/25	Rainbow Wahine Classic	976	334-321-321

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

2nd/18	Utah-Dixie Classic	919	310-296-313
3rd/12	Big 12 Championship	945	313-311-321
14th/20	NCAA West Regional	909	301-302-306

1997-98

Fall			
2nd/7	Chip-N Club Invitational	909	307-297-305
2nd/12	Jeannine McHaney Classic	906	298-309-299
14th/18	Dick McGuire Invitational	939	321-306-312
1st/13	**Colorado Invitational**	**887**	**296-292-299**
6th/12	Big 12 Preview	951	318-310-323
Spring			
12th/18	UCLA Bruin Classic	637	322-315
9th/14	Betsy Rawls Classic	985	333-327-325
7th/20	Rainbow Wahine Classic	935	307-312-316
8th/24	Utah-Dixie Classic	627	323-304
6th/12	Big 12 Championship	936	322-315-299

1998-99

Fall			
4th/20	Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	914	305-310-299
2nd/15	Chip-N Club Invitational	889	297-285-307
7th/12	Big 12 Preview	941	309-313-319
7th/15	Legends Shootout	923	301-309-313
12th/18	Rainbow Wahine Classic	917	307-312-298
Spring			
6th/15	Jeannine McHaney Classic	965	322-325-318
10th/13	Casa de Campo	976	316-324-336
11th/16	South Carolina Invitational	637	320-317
5th/20	Utah-Dixie Classic	929	305-312-312
8th/12	Big 12 Championship	929	316-309-304

1999-2000

Fall			
1st/12	**Big 12 Preview**	**906**	**298-303-305**
1st/13	**Lady Razorback Invitational**	**604**	**298-306**
9th/15	Heather Farr Memorial	614	309-305
4th/13	Jeannine McHaney Classic	936	307-313-316
7th/14	Rainbow Wahine Classic	949	318-319-312
Spring			
4th/16	Midwest Classic	948	318-315-315
5th/16	Texas A&M GTE "Mo" Morial	942	302-321-319
4th/15	Green Wave Classic	940	308-310-322
6th/13	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	945	315-312-318
1st/13	**Susie Maxwell Berning**	**930**	**322-302-306**
3rd/12	Big 12 Championship	920	300-306-314
9th/24	NCAA West Regional	899	298-302-299
19th/24	NCAA Tournament	1,239	310-311-302-316

2000-01

Fall			
1st/17	**Alltel Husker Invitational**	**901**	**298-303-300**
10th/21	NCAA Fall Preview	620	304-316
T10th/15	Mary Fossum Invite	315	315
10th/12	Big 12 Fall Preview	940	315-315-310
9th/15	Shootout at The Legends	904	300-299-305
7th/18	Price's "Give 'em Five Fund"	918	302-306-310
Spring			
11th/18	Midwest Classic	952	318-319-315
4th/4	Texas Challenge	307	307
6th/12	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	916	311-294-311
T10th/18	Liz Murphey Collegiate Classic	951	320-307-324
3rd/15	Susie Maxwell Berning	911	307-302-302
5th/12	Big 12 Championship	958	341-306-311
10th/21	NCAA Central Regional	946	319-306-321

2001-02

Fall			
7th/13	Chip-N Club Invitational	922	311-310-301
7th/14	Pioneer Highlands Ranch	615	303-312
15th/16	Big 12 Invitational	988	331-324-333
1st/13	**Heather Farr Memorial**	**592**	**301-291**
12th/17	Alabama Capstone Intercollegiate	1,007	344-332-331
Spring			
12th/14	Central District Invitational	938	314-305-316
2nd/16	Sam Houston State Invitational	971	319-315-337
T10th/18	Liz Murphey Collegiate Classic	932	319-301-312
T7th/20	Baylor-Tapatio Springs Shootout	633	323-310
T3rd/15	Susie Maxwell Berning	916	312-307-297
7th/12	Big 12 Championship	952	322-314-316
19th/21	NCAA Central Regional	998	339-333-326

2002-03

Fall			
T3th/17	Ram Fall Classic	896	299-290-307
4th/14	Chip-N Club Invitational	922	310-305-307
7th/13	Fossum Invitational	940	311-315-314
14th/20	Price's "Give 'em Five Fund"	938	313-307-318
5th/11	adidas Invitational	918	310-316-301
2nd/19	Pat Bradley Invitational	920	311-302-307
Spring			
5th/15	Central District Invitational	927	314-305-301
T10th/19	Texas A&M "Mo" Morial	631	316-315
T4th/17	Dr. Thompson Invitational	933	317-310-306
T5th/13	Lady Boilermaker Invitational	937	311-320-306
5th/12	Big 12 Championship	926	311-307-308
5th/21	NCAA Central Regional	928	312-298-318
22nd/24	NCAA Championship	1,281	320-333-314-314

2003-04

Fall			
3rd/9	Embassy Suites/Tyson Invitational	896	311-303-306
1st/12	**Chip-N Club Invitational**	**904**	**307-297-300**
1st/8	Highlands Ranch Intercollegiate	613	311-302
9th/18	Shootout at the Legends	908	302-298-308
2nd/12	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	935	306-313-316
T6th/14	adidas Fall Classic	911	302-302-307
Spring			
1st/2	**Iowa State (Dual match)**	**307**	**307**
10th/15	Central District Invitational	939	306-316-317
15th/17	Spartan Invitational	957	322-310-325
14th/19	Baylor-Tapatio Springs Shootout	967	319-315-333
7th/17	Mountain View Collegiate	909	307-293-309
10th/12	Big 12 Championship	622	315-307

2004-05

Fall			
1st/8	**Chip-N Club Invitational**	**937**	**306-306-325**
16th/18	Jeannine McHaney Invitational	632	311-321
6th/18	Price's "Give 'Em Five" Invitational	928	302-309-317
8th/19	Lady Razorback Invitational	935	323-305-307
4th/18	Edwin Watts/Palmetto Intercollegiate	889	307-290-292
Spring			
12th/15	Central District Invitational	925	306-310-309
13th/17	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	969	302-334-333
11th/18	UNLV Spring Invitational	955	329-309-317
T6th/15	Mountain View Collegiate	888	301-299-288
7th/16	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	942	314-313-315
7th/12	Big 12 Championship	942	305-324-313

2005-06

Fall			
7th/18	Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	897	296-300-301
1st/10	**Chip-N Club Invitational**	**902**	**295-300-307**
2nd/12	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	890	297-285-308
4th/16	Lady Razorback Invitational	911	298-313-300
4th/19	Edwin Watts/Palmetto Intercollegiate	914	310-303-301

Stephanie Ruiz earned second-team All-Big 12 honors in 2006, before tying the school record for the best NCAA Championships score with her 301 over four rounds in Columbus, Ohio.

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

Spring			
1st/7	**Baja Invitational**	**927**	**309-309-309**
4th/14	Central District Invitational	914	307-303-304
11th/18	Texas A&M "Mo" Morial	979	330-329-320
2nd/15	Mountain View Collegiate	885	297-295-293
4th/17	Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	906	306-291-309
T4th/12	Big 12 Championship	927	307-297-323
8th/21	NCAA Central Regional	922	313-298-311
20th/24	NCAA Championship	1,221	311-305-306-299

2006-07

Fall			
3rd/11	Badger Invitational	934	321-318-295
1st/14	**Chip-N Club Invitational**	**929**	**317-306-306**
7th/15	Kentucky Wildcat Invitational	948	327-307-314
1st/17	**Bronco Invitational**	**884**	**296-292-296**
T9th/17	Derby Invitational	615	310-305
Spring			
1st/2	**vs. Missouri (Dual Match)**	**313**	**313**
13th/14	Central District Invitational	946	320-316-310
4th/16	Red Rocks Invitational	624	321-303
13th/18	UNLV Invitational	894	298-298-298
1st/17	**Mountain View Collegiate**	**866**	**287-285-294**
4th/12	Big 12 Championship	936	312-307-317
15th/21	NCAA West Regional	951	328-309-314

2007-08

Fall			
4th/18	Chip-N Club Invitational	911	310-306-295
6th/18	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	907	298-303-306
6th/13	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	613	303-310
1st/13	**Bronco Invitational**	**946**	**318-300-328**
2nd/20	Edwin Watts/Palmetto Intercollegiate	909	314-301-294
Spring			
9th/15	Central District Invitational	927	314-308-305
13th/15	Texas A&M "Mo" Morial	1,010	334-338-338
16th/17	Betsy Rawls Longhorn Classic	661	319-342
T6th/17	Mountain View Collegiate	895	296-299-300
2nd/13	BYU Dixie Classic	894	300-299-295
8th/12	Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	951	321-322-308
6th/12	Big 12 Championship	968	326-317-325
T10th/21	NCAA Central Regional	903	294-306-303

2008-09

Fall			
1st/13	**Chip-N Club Invitational**	**884**	**298-295-291**
T1st/16	**Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational**	**926**	**307-312-307**
5th/13	McHaney/Morehead Invitational	922	312-303-307
4th/20	Lady Pirate Intercollegiate	917	305-303-309
7th/16	The Challenge at Wolfdancer	938	318-312-308
Spring			
12th/18	Aztec Spring Invitational	947	299-332-316
17th/43	Edwin Watts/Kiawah Island Classic	928	309-314-305
10th/19	UNLV Spring Invitational	917	330-288-299
9th/19	Mountain View Collegiate	901	290-302-309
15th/15	Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	977	322-324-331
10th/12	Big 12 Championship	953	315-314-324

2009-10

Fall			
2nd/14	Chip-N Club Invitational	889	304-290-295
6th/13	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	922	320-299-303
2nd/20	Heather Farr Memorial	894	295-311-288
4th/12	Alamo Invitational	302	302
11th/21	The Challenge at Onion Creek	871	290-292-289
Spring			
17th/17	UCF Challenge	945	312-315-316
8th/18	UNLV Spring Invitational	896	295-296-306
5th/19	Northern Migration	916	304-307-305
7th/15	Lady Gator Invitational	902	306-293-303
8th/12	Big 12 Championship	919	305-309-305

2010-11

Fall			
13th/15	Chip-N Club Invitational	627	314-313
4th/12	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	918	303-301-314
15th/15	Johnie Imes Invitational	943	320-314-309
14th/16	Dale McNamara Invitational	938	311-313-314
10th/14	Alamo Invitational	914	306-301-307

Elli Brown helped the Huskers to three consecutive NCAA Regional appearances from 2006 to 2008. A first-team All-Big 12 pick after finishing third at the 2007 Big 12 Championship, the native of Meridian, Idaho, was Nebraska's stroke average leader in both 2007 and 2008.

Spring			
5th/33	Kiawah Island Intercollegiate	910	307-302-301
11th/15	UNLV Spring Invitational	911	314-304-293
T8th/15	BYU Entrada Classic	932	314-315-303
10th/18	Mountain View Collegiate	898	308-306-284
10th/18	Baylor Spring Invitational	935	317-304-314
10th/12	Big 12 Championship	909	297-298-314

2011-12

Fall			
4th/15	Chip-N Club Invitational	926	312-307-307
T7th/12	Edean Ihlanfeldt Invitational	932	318-312-302
11th/12	Lady Northern Invitational	939	312-303-311
4th/13	Hoosier Fall Invitational	924	311-302-311
5th/14	Alamo Invitational	884	294-280-310
Spring			
14th/15	Lady Puerto Rico Classic	935	309-314-312
7th/12	Westbrook Invitational	882	295-297-290
3rd/12	BYU Entrada Classic	914	306-307-301
5th/15	Mountain View Collegiate	878	295-289-294
9th/11	Ohio State Spring Invitational	953	317-324-312
6th/12	Big Ten Championship	908	309-302-297

2012-13

Fall			
7th/13	Chip-N Club Invitational	948	317-313-318
15th/18	The Golfweek Challenge	924	303-307-314
T7th/13	Price's "Give 'Em Five" Invitational	900	301-299-300

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

6th/15	Missouri State/Payne Stewart Memorial	933	308-314-311
14th/15	Alamo Invitational	924	308-314-302
Spring			
15th/15	Lady Puerto Rico Classic	962	326-326-310
13th/13	Westbrook Invitational	930	315-319-296
T13th/16	Clover Cup	937	312-312-313
2nd/2	Jayhawk-Cornhusker Challenge	327	327
13th/15	SMU/Dallas Athletic Club Invitational	982	334-331-317
11th/12	Big Ten Championship	945	321-313-301

2013-14

Fall			
1st/13	**Chip-N Club Invitational**	**874**	**284-296-294**
7th/15	Minnesota Invitational	927	303-312-312
T6th/15	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	960	313-329-318
11th/16	Hoosier Fall Invitational	911	307-301-303
T10th/17	UNLV Collegiate Showdown	595	295-300-595
Spring			
T4th/14	Westbrook Invitational	869	295-287-287
8th/15	Clover Cup	903	300-310-293
1st/15	**Mountain View Collegiate**	**874**	**291-288-295**
T13th/16	SMU/Dallas Athletic Club Invitational	627	319-308
T8th/12	Ohio State Spring Invitational	938	316-312-310
10th/12	Big Ten Championship	931	302-322-307

2014-15

Fall			
3rd/10	Chip-N Club Invitational	896	301-305-290
12th/14	Minnesota Invitational	929	312-309-308
9th/17	Golfweek Conference Challenge	921	309-315-297
4th/12	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	900	306-296-298
3rd/14	Rainbow Wahine Invitational	899	297-301-301
Spring			
T13th/15	Westbrook Invitational	892	294-302-294
9th/15	Clover Cup	928	318-298-312
12th/20	Mountain View Collegiate	886	297-292-297
15th/16	SMU/Dallas Athletic Club Invitational	942	317-313-312
13th/14	Big Ten Championship	917	306-301-310

2015-16

Fall			
10th/12	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	938	322-306-310
11th/17	Golfweek Conference Challenge	918	314-299-305
5th/13	Chip-N Club Invitational	895	301-292-302
T10th/19	Pinehurst Challenge	883	298-293-292
17th/19	UNLV Collegiate Showdown	860	278-291-291
Spring			
10th/13	Peg Barnard Invitational	622	314-308-622
T13th/15	Westbrook Invitational	886	293-301-292
8th/17	Clover Cup	909	301-309-299
T9th/16	Dr. Donnis Thompson Hawaii Invitational	914	305-306-303
18th/18	Silverado Showdown	949	315-311-323
13th/14	Big Ten Championship	890	298-299-293

2016-17

Fall			
T10th/15	Ptarmigan Ram Classic	914	307-305-302
8th/8	East & West Match Play Challenge	600	306-294
T4th/11	Chip-N Club Invitational	906	314-293-299
6th/18	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	876	293-295-288
15th/19	UNLV Collegiate Showdown	582	290-292
Spring			
11th/14	Central District Invitational	937	316-314-307
12th/13	Westbrook Invitational	890	299-298-293
12th/15	Clover Cup	904	302-303-299
9th/14	Hawkeye El Tigre	909	318-301-290
12th/14	Big Ten Championship	944	311-319-314

2017-18

Fall			
2nd/8	UNO Invitational	899	301-289-309
7th/8	East & West Match Play Challenge	592	293-299
2nd/8	Chip-N Club Invitational	910	306-300-304
10th/10	Pinehurst Challenge	876	290-287-299
12th/16	UNLV Collegiate Showdown	894	300-295-299
Spring			
11th/11	Lady Puerto Rico Classic	951	309-319-323
3rd/15	Westbrook Invitational	843	283-273-287
6th/16	Clover Cup	896	302-296-298
13th/15	Mountain View Collegiate	908	301-307-300
13th/14	Big Ten Championship	905	300-302-303

2018-19

Fall			
3rd/13	Ptarmigan Ram Fall Classic	888	300-295-293
11th/18	Golfweek Conference Challenge	899	303-311-285
16th/16	Ron Moore Intercollegiate	919	305-315-299
10th/17	UNLV Collegiate Showdown	875	290-294-291
3rd/12	Rainbow Wahine Invitational	289	289
Spring			
14th/14	Lady Puerto Rico Classic	915	304-310-301
1st/16	Westbrook Invitational	853	287-276-290
9th/15	Clover Cup	916	315-307-294
8th/12	Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	909	304-304-301
13th/14	Big Ten Championship	609	313-296

LISA JOHNSON (2019-22)

Lisa Johnson was named the fourth head coach in program history on June 17, 2019. She came to NU after serving as the head coach at Idaho (2007-19). In her first season at Nebraska, Johnson helped Kate Smith become NU's first All-Big Ten golfer since 2012. Smith also captured Nebraska's first Mary Fossum Award for owning the Big Ten's best stroke average. After the COVID-19 pandemic cut the 2019-20 season short, Johnson guided the Huskers to their best conference tournament finish since 1984 by tying for second at the 2021 Big Ten Championship. Kate Smith became Nebraska's first Big Ten Champion and the Huskers made their first NCAA Regional appearance since 2008. Johnson left NU following the 2021-22 season after her husband, John, was named the Athletic Director at Portland State.

2019-20

Fall			
11th/15	Branch Law Firm/Dick McGuire Invite	892	299-299-294
10th/18	Golfweek Conference Challenge	891	285-305-301
7th/11	Edean Ihlanfeldt Invitational	627	317-310
11th/16	Battle at the Beach	902	308-298-296
Spring			
	Las Vegas 4-Way		No Team Score
T14th/15	Lady Puerto Rico Classic	914	304-303-307
T10th/16	Westbrook Spring Invitational	864	288-283-293

Three regular-season tournaments, Big Ten and NCAA Championships canceled (COVID-19)

2020-21

Spring Only (COVID-19)			
T9th/14	Trinity Forest Invitational	916	310-314-292
T7th/15	Bruin Wave Invitational	947	318-319-310
10th/16	Arizona Wildcat Invitational	902	307-304-291
1st/13	Allstate Sugar Bowl Intercollegiate	884	294-302-288
T6th/16	Indiana Spring Invitational	887	294-298-295
T2nd/13	Big Ten Championship	858	293-284-281
T15th/18	NCAA Columbus Regional	916	307-313-296

2021-22

Fall			
T14th/16	Wolverine Invitational	915	306-301-308
6th/10	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	905	298-303-304
7th/14	The Molly Collegiate	914	307-308-299
2nd/13	Dale McNamara Invitational	872	293-295-284
2nd/7	White Sands Intercollegiate	858	285-280-293
Spring			
	Big Ten Match Play		1-2-0
11th/17	Tulane Classic	949	341-294-314
2nd/14	Westbrook Spring Invitational	853	283-286-284
T11th/17	Briar's Creek Invitational	899	298-296-305
5th/10	Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational	923	311-309-303
7th/14	Big Ten Championship	875	294-289-292

JEANNE SUTHERLAND (2022-PRESENT)

Jeanne Sutherland was named the fifth head coach of the Nebraska women's golf program, May 5, 2022, after spending one season as an associate head coach under Lisa Johnson. In 25 seasons as a head coach before coming to Nebraska, Sutherland led 18 teams to NCAA Regional appearances, including four NCAA Championship bids. She was a two-time NCAA regional/district coach of the year and a four-time conference coach of the year. She coached three individuals to All-America honors and five individual conference champions during her time at Texas A&M (1992-2007) and SMU (2011-21).

ALL-TIME HONORS & AWARDS

NEBRASKA'S NCAA ALL-AMERICANS

Joanne Brooks
1989-1992
Honorable Mention, 1992

The first NCAA All-American in Nebraska women's golf history, Joanne Brooks was one of the best golfers ever to compete for the Huskers.

When Brooks completed her eligibility after the 1993 season, she held nearly every NU individual school record. She earned All-Big Eight Conference and academic All-Big Eight honors three times. Brooks won the Edith Munson Award given to the nation's top student-athlete, was named an WGCA Scholastic All-American in 1990, 1991 and 1992, and was named to Nebraska's 25 Women of Distinction List in April 2000.

A native of Tauranga, New Zealand, Brooks was the Nebraska Student-Athlete Advisory Committee President.

Sarah Sasse
1998-2003
First Team, 2003

Sarah Sasse became Nebraska's first women's golfer to earn first-team All-America honors in 2003. One of 11 golfers to make the All-America list, Sasse was the only Big 12 golfer selected. Sasse was the 2003 Big 12 Player of the Year, a 2003 Scholastic All-American, the 2003 April Big 12 Golfer of the Month, a three-time All-Big 12 honoree, a four-time academic All-Big 12 pick and a three-time NCAA participant. She also set the school record for best 36- and 54-hole scores with 138 and 209, respectively. The Lincoln native graduated from Nebraska in 2003 with a degree in marketing. She was selected as the first women's golfer inducted into the University of Nebraska Athletics Hall of Fame in 2015.

Kate Smith
2017-2021
Honorable Mention, 2021

Nebraska's third women's golf All-American, Kate Smith claimed WGCA honorable-mention accolades after capturing the 2021 Big Ten Championship. In a remarkable season, Smith tied the Big Ten tournament record and her own school record with a final-round 64 (-8) to storm to the title. She helped Nebraska to its best conference team finish (tied for second) since 1984. In a history-making season, Smith became the first Husker to compete in the Augusta National Women's Amateur and the first Nebraska men's or women's golfer to play in the Arnold Palmer Cup. Smith represented the United States in the Palmer Cup and went 3-1 to play a key role in a 33-27 U.S. victory.

AUGUSTA NATIONAL WOMEN'S AMATEUR QUALIFIER
Kate Smith 2021

ARNOLD PALMER CUP TEAM
Kate Smith (United States) 2021

CoSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN
Heidi Wall (Stark) 1996

EDITH MUNSON AWARD
(Presented annually to the nation's top student-athlete; golfer must earn All-America and All-Scholar honors)
Joanne Brooks 1990

TRUE TEMPER SCHOLASTIC AWARD
Stephanie Flood 1993, 1994

NEBRASKA FEMALE STUDENT-ATHLETE OF THE YEAR
Kari Mangan 1986

WGCA SCHOLASTIC ALL-AMERICANS
Ann Guiberson 1989, 1990, 1992
Joanne Brooks 1990, 1991, 1992
Stephanie Hupp 1991, 1992, 1993
Stephanie Flood 1992, 1993, 1994
Kim Lefler 1992, 1993, 1994
Rochelle Brotsky 1993
Melissa Odell 1994, 1995
Heidi Wall (Stark) 1995, 1996
Maureen Regan 1996
Rachelle Tacha 1996, 1997, 1998
Elizabeth Bahensky 1998, 1999, 2000
Amanda Sutcliffe 2001, 2002
Amy Roux 2001
Jackie Beste 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
Beth Anne Bryson (Cherry) 2003
Merynn Ito 2003, 2004, 2005
Stephanie Schaefer 2003, 2004
Sarah Sasse 2003
Chelsea Gehring 2005
Allison Stewart 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008
JC Stevenson 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
Kate White 2007, 2008
Rachel Hanigan 2009
Madeleine Sheils 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012
Charlotte Wendner 2009, 2010
Steffi Neisen 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
Jackie O'Doherty 2013
Cassidy Stelzmiller 2013, 2015, 2016
Emily Gillman 2015, 2017
Haley Thiele 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020
Annie Sritragul 2017, 2018
Hannah Thiele 2018
Kirsten Baete 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
Megan Whittaker 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
Kate Smith 2020, 2021
Leah Herzog 2020
Alice Duan 2021
Lindsey Thiele 2021, 2022

BIG TEN CHAMPION
Kate Smith 2021

BIG 12 CHAMPION
Sarah Sasse 2003

BIG EIGHT CHAMPION
Rachelle Tacha 1996

Rachelle Tacha won the Big Eight individual title in 1996, the league's final season, on her way to the 1996 NCAA Tournament.

BIG 12 GOLFER OF THE YEAR
Sarah Sasse 2003

BIG TEN MARY FOSSUM AWARD
(best stroke average relative to par)
Kate Smith 2020

ALL-BIG TEN CONFERENCE
Madeleine Sheils 2012
Kate Smith 2020, 2021
Kirsten Baete 2022

ALL-BIG 12 CONFERENCE
Sarah Sasse 2000, 2001, 2003
Stephanie Ruiz 2006
Elli Brown 2007
Charlotte Wendner 2009

ALL-BIG EIGHT CONFERENCE
Sharon Slattery 1976
Nan Circo 1978
Jane Deeter 1979
Jan Stanard 1981, 1983
Cathy Nelson 1982, 1983
Shelly Godeken 1983, 1984
Jean Gilpin 1986
Kari Mangan 1985, 1986
Laura Gunia 1987
Ann Guiberson 1988, 1992
Joanne Brooks 1989, 1990, 1991
Stephanie Flood 1991
Kim Lefler 1994
Michelle Patterson 1995
Rachelle Tacha 1996

BIG TEN GOLFER OF THE WEEK
Madeleine Sheils ..... Oct. 6, 2011
Madeleine Sheils ..... Oct. 19, 2011
Steffi Neisen ..... Nov. 3, 2011
Katelyn Wright ..... Oct. 11, 2012
Cassie Deeg ..... Sept. 11, 2013
Cassie Deeg ..... Oct. 30, 2013
Cassie Deeg ..... April 1, 2014
Katelyn Wright ..... April 1, 2014
Kate Smith ..... Oct. 12, 2016
Audrey Judd ..... March 2, 2017
Kate Smith ..... Sept. 6, 2017
Audrey Judd ..... Oct. 4, 2017
Kate Smith ..... Oct. 11, 2017
Vanessa Bouvet ..... Nov. 7, 2018
Kate Smith ..... March 17, 2021

ALL-TIME HONORS & AWARDS

Nicole Hansen & Lindsey Thiele....Sept. 22, 2021
Michaela Vavrova....Oct. 6, 2021
Kirsten Baete....Oct. 27, 2021
Megan Whittaker....March 2, 2022

BIG 12 GOLFER OF THE MONTH

Sarah Sasse....April, 2003
Stephanie Ruiz....February, 2006
Elli Brown....September, 2006
Kate White....October, 2006

BIG EIGHT GOLFER OF THE MONTH

Molly Mullin....February, 1995
Heidi Wall (Stark)....March, 1995
Rachelle Tacha....April, 1996

BIG TEN POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

Hannah Thiele....2021

BIG TEN DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR

Steffi Neisen....2012, 2013, 2014
Madeleine Sheils....2012
Cassidy Stelzmiller....2013, 2015
Emily Gillman....2016, 2018
Annie Sritragul....2018
Kirsten Baete....2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
Haley Thiele....2019
Hannah Thiele....2019, 2020, 2021
Kate Smith....2020, 2021
Megan Whittaker....2020, 2021, 2022
Leah Herzog....2021
Lindsey Thiele....2022

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN CONFERENCE

Steffi Neisen....2012, 2013, 2014
Madeleine Sheils....2012
Jackie O'Doherty....2013
Morgan Smejkal....2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Cassidy Stelzmiller....2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Katelyn Wright....2013
Cassie Deeg....2014, 2015, 2016
Yoorim Kang....2014
Jordan Chael....2015
Sarah Pravecek....2015, 2016, 2017
Audrey Judd....2016, 2017, 2018
Emily Gillman....2016, 2017, 2018
Kate Smith....2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
Annie Sritragul....2018
Haley Thiele....2018, 2019, 2020
Noor Ahmed....2019
Kirsten Baete....2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
Hannah Thiele....2019, 2020, 2021
Vanessa Bouvet....2020, 2021, 2022
Megan Whittaker....2020, 2021, 2022
Leah Herzog....2021
Nicole Hansen....2022
Lindsey Thiele....2022
Michaela Vavrova....2022
Andrea Velez....2022

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG 12 CONFERENCE

Rachelle Tacha....1997, 1998
Elizabeth Bahensky....1998, 1999, 2000
Susie Kiene....1998
Hanne Nyquist....1998
Amy Roux....1998, 1999, 2000, 2001
Catha Fogelberg....1999, 2000, 2001, 2002
Sarah Sasse....1999, 2000, 2001, 2003
Amanda Sutcliffe....1999, 2000, 2001, 2002
Amanda Krane....2001, 2002
Beth Anne Bryson (Cherry)....2003, 2005
Merynn Ito....2003, 2004, 2005
Stephanie Ruiz....2003, 2004
Stephanie Schaefer....2003, 2004
Jackie Beste....2004, 2005, 2006
Sara Sackett....2004, 2005, 2006
Chelsea Gehring....2005, 2006
Allison Stewart....2005, 2007, 2008
Elli Brown....2006, 2007, 2008
Chrissie McArdle....2006, 2007
Andrea Carlson (Dunagan)....2007
Megan Place....2007, 2009
JC Stevenson....2008, 2009, 2010
Charlotte Wendner....2008, 2009, 2010
Kate White....2008
Mary Kate Bird....2009, 2010, 2011
Rachel Hanigan....2009
Madeleine Sheils....2010, 2011
Kayla Knopik....2011

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG EIGHT CONFERENCE

Francee Kopecky....1988
Melissa Busskohl....1989
Susan Daugherty....1989, 1990, 1991
Ann Guiberson....1989, 1990, 1992
Joanne Brooks....1990, 1991, 1992
Stephanie Hupp....1991, 1993
Stephanie Flood....1992, 1993, 1994
Kari Clesson....1993
Kim Lefler....1993, 1994
Melissa Odell....1994, 1995
Michelle Patterson....1994, 1995, 1996
Rachelle Tacha....1995, 1996
Heidi Wall....1995, 1996
Maureen Regan....1996

BIG TEN SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

Steffi Neisen....2012, 2013, 2014
Cassie Deeg....2015, 2016
Sarah Pravecek....2017
Hannah Thiele....2018, 2019
Kate Smith....2020
Megan Whittaker....2021
Kirsten Baete (All Women's Sports)....2022

Kate Smith (third from left of trophy) became the first Nebraska men's or women's golfer to compete at the annual Arnold Palmer Cup in 2021. The Ryder Cup-style event features the best U.S. collegiate golfers against top collegians internationally. Smith helped Team USA to a 33-27 victory by going 3-1 in her matches at Rich Harvest Farms in Illinois (June 11-13, 2021).

ALL-TIME HONORS & AWARDS

Vanessa Bouvet and Noor Ahmed became the first Huskers to compete at the PGA WORKS Collegiate Championship at TPC Sawgrass in Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. (May 3-5, 2021). The Nebraska duo tied for fifth individually to become eligible for Symetra Tour MVP Invites into the 2021 Guardian Championship.

Elizabeth (Bahensky) Schott owns six NU NCAA Tournament records, including best single-round (68) and final score (301), which she set on her way to a 25th-place individual finish at the 2000 NCAA Championship. She was honored with induction to both the Nebraska Golf Hall of Fame and the Nebraska High School Sports Hall of Fame in September of 2021. The Kearney High School graduate was a two-time Class A state high school champion while leading the Bearcats to four state team titles. She was also a five-time Nebraska women's state champion. She was joined with induction into the Nebraska Golf Hall of Fame in 2021 by former Husker and three-time Nebraska women's state champion Stephanie (Flood) Kolbas, and the University of Nebraska's first women's golf head coach, Larry Romjue.

NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITORS

Jan Stanard	1982
Joanne Brooks	1989
Heidi Wall (Stark)	1996
Rachelle Tacha	1996
Elizabeth Bahensky	2000
Catha Fogelberg	2000
Amy Roux	2000
Sarah Sasse	2000, 2001, 2003
Amanda Sutcliffe	2000
Beth Anne Bryson (Cherry)	2003
Merynn Ito	2003
Stephanie Ruiz	2003, 2006
Stephanie Schaefer	2003
Elli Brown	2006
Chrissie McArdle	2006
Sara Sackett	2006
Allison Stewart	2006

**Nebraska competed as a team at the 1976 AIAW Championships, and Nan Circo tied for 33rd at the 1977 AIAW Championships.*

ALL-TIME LETTERWINNERS

A four-year letterwinner (2002-05), Merynn Ito was a three-time NCAA Regional qualifier and a two-time WGCA Scholastic All-American from Aeia, Hawaii. She helped the Huskers to a 22nd-place finish at the 2003 NCAA Championship.

A
Adams, Jenny 1985-86
Ahmed, Noor 2018-19-20

B
Baete, Kirsten 2019-20-21-22
Bahensky, Elizabeth 1997-98-99-2000
Becker, Melissa 1994-95-96-97
Beste, Jackie 2003-04-05-06
Bird, Mary Kate 2008-09-10-11
Bouvet, Vanessa 2019-20-22
Brooks, Joanne 1989-90-91-92
Brotsky, Rochelle 1992-93-94-95
Brown, Elli 2005-06-07-08
Busskohl, Melissa 1988-89-90-91

C
Chael, Jordan 2014-15
Cherry (Bryson), Beth Anne 2002-03-04-05
Circo, Nanette 1976-77-78
Clesson, Kari 1991-92-93-94
Cook, Nodjya 1987-88-89-90

D
Davis, Kimberly 1982
Deeg, Cassie 2013-14-15-16
Deeter, Jane 1976-77-78-79
Denbeck, Deb 1976-77
Doerr, Gretchen 1996-97-98
Dougherty, Susan 1987-88-89-90
Duan, Alice 2021
Dunagan (Carlson), Andrea 2004-05-06-07

E
Elgert, K.C. 1999-2000

F
Flood, Stephanie 1991-92-93-94
Fogelberg, Catha 1999-2000-01-02

G
Gehring, Chelsea 2003-04-05-06
Gillman, Emily 2015-16-17-18
Gilpin, Jean 1983-84-85-86
Gleadall, Natalie 2009
Godeken, Shelly 1981-82-83-84
Guiberson, Ann 1988-89-90-92
Gunia, Laura 1984-85-86-87

H
Hallett, Molly 1995-96
Hanigan, Rachel 2008-09
Hansen, Nicole 2022
Haraden, Jessica 2017-18-20
Harder, Julie. 2003
Hassert, Lena 2022
Hergert, Mary Sue 1979-80-81
Herzog, Leah 2020
Hornecker, Shirin 1996-97
Houston, Janet L. 1983-84
Hupp, Stephanie 1990-91-92-93
Huston, Mimi C. 1977-78

I
Ito, Merynn 2002-03-04-05

J
Judd, Audrey 2015-16-17-18

K
Kang, Yoorim 2014
Keiser, Katie 2011-12
Kemper, Kelly 1993-94
Kiene, Susie 1997
Kniffin, Carolyn 1986-87
Knopik, Kayla 2009-10-11-12
Kopecky, Frances 1986-87-88
Krane, Amanda 2000-01-02

L
Lefler, Kim 1991-92-93-94
Luebke, Hannah 2013-14

M
Madsen, Alysen 1988-89-90-91
Mangan, Kari A. 1983-84-85-86
McArdle, Chrissie 2004-05-06-07
Merwald, Julie 1979
Miller, Lori 1980-81-82-83
Molyneux, Remylee 2011-12
Morrissey, Catherine M. 1977-78-79-80
Mullin, Molly 1993-94-95-96

N
Neisen, Steffi 2011-12-13-14
Nelson, Catherine A. 1981-82-83-84
Noerrlinger, Dawn 1987-88-89-90
Nyquist, Hanne 1997-98

O
O'Doherty, Jackie 2013
O'Neill, Katie 1985-86-87
Odell, Melissa 1991-93-94-95

P
Papes, Lisa 1984
Patterson, Michelle L. 1993-94-95-96
Place, Megan 2006-07-08-09
Pravecek, Sarah 2014-15-16-17

R
Reed, Debbie 1976
Regan, Maureen 1995-96-97
Rist, Anne M. 1991
Roberts, Carin L. 1980-81-82-83
Robertson, Claire 2017
Roux, Amy 1998-99-2000-01
Ruiz, Stephanie 2002-03-04-06

S
Sackett, Sara 2002-04-05-06
Sasse, Sarah 1999-2000-01-03
Schaefer, Stephanie 2001-02-03-04
Scherer (Krapfl), Robin 1980-81-82
Schorgl, Carolyn 2009-10-11
Schuler, Sonia 1994-96
Sharpee, Erin 2010
Sheils, Madeleine 2009-10-11-12
Slattery, Sharon 1976-77
Smedberg, Laurel 1976-77-78
Smejkal, Morgan 2013-14-15-16
Smith, Kate 2017-18-19-20-21
Sritragul, Pasinee "Annie" 2017-18
Stanard, Jan 1980-81-82-83
Steen, Nancy J. 1983-84-85-86
Stelzmiller, Cassidy 2013-14-15-16
Stevenson, JC 2007-08-09-10
Stewart, Allison 2005-06-07-08
Sturdevant, Sydney 2008
Sutcliffe, Amanda 1999-2000-01-02

T
Tacha, Rachelle 1995-96-97-98
Takahashi, Miu 2022
Thiele, Haley 2016-18-19-20
Thiele, Hannah 2018-19-20
Thiele, Lindsey 2021-22
Tobin, Peggy 1986-87-88-89

V
Vavrova, Michaela 2021-22
Velez, Andrea 2022

W
Wall, Heidi J. 1994-95-96
Wall, Kathy 1985-86-87-88
Weekes, Elizabeth W. 1979
Wendner, Charlotte 2007-08-09-10
White, Kate 2007-08
Whittaker, Megan 2019-20-21-22
Woodard, Denise 1996
Wright, Katelyn 2011-12-13-14

Y
Young, Becky 1991

Sarah Sasse captured first-team All-America honors while leading Nebraska to the NCAA Championships in 2003.

INDIVIDUAL & TEAM RECORDS

TEAM RECORDS

18-HOLE SCORE 273
Westbrook Spring Invitational (second round); (Kate Smith, Audrey Judd, Annie Sritragul, Noor Ahmed, Haley Thiele), Feb. 25, 2018

36-HOLE SCORE 556
Westbrook Spring Invitational (283-273); (Kate Smith, Audrey Judd, Annie Sritragul, Noor Ahmed, Haley Thiele), Feb. 25, 2018

54-HOLE SCORE 843
Westbrook Spring Invitational (283-273-287); (Kate Smith, Audrey Judd, Annie Sritragul, Noor Ahmed, Haley Thiele), Feb. 25-26, 2018

NEBRASKA ALL-TIME TEAM VICTORIES

1976 Big Eight Tournament	684
1978 Omaha Invitational	336
1979 Wichita State Invitational	368-339=707
1980 Iowa Invitational	318-328=646
1980 Iowa State Invitational	315-312=627
1980 Missouri Invitational	334-324=658
1980 Iowa Invitational	311-318=629
1980 AIAW Region 6 Championship	314-308=622
1982 Spring Break Tournament	312-319-301=932
1982 Missouri Invitational	323-324-301=948
1983 Big Eight Tournament	322-317-319=958
1983 Kansas Invitational	331-319-315=965
1984 Wichita State Invitational	326-345-327=998
1986 Northern Iowa Invitational	328-331-312=971
1988 Northern Illinois Invitational	318-324=642
1989 Husker Golf Invitational	309-304-305=918
1989 Spartan Fall Invitational	317-307-309=933
1990 Rio Rico-Hawkeye	311-308-306=925
1990 Missouri Invitational	304-311=615
1993 Husker Classic	312-309-304=925
1994 Midwest Golf Classic	314-314=628
1994 UNT/SMU Invitational	314-313=627
1994 Husker Golf Classic	315-311-310=936
1996 Lady Lion Invitational	304-301=605
1996 Big 12 Fall Preview	300-296-313=909
1997 Colorado Invitational	296-292-299=887
1999 Big 12 Preview	298-303-305=906
1999 Lady Razorback Invitational	298-306=604
2000 Oklahoma/Susie Maxwell Berning Classic	322-302-306=998
2000 Alltel Husker Invitational	298-303-300=901
2001 Heather Farr/CU Invitational	301-291=592
2003 Chip-N Club Invitational	307-297-300=904
2003 Highlands Ranch Intercollegiate	311-302=613
2004 Chip-N Club Invitational	306-306-325=937
2005 Chip-N Club Invitational	295-300-307=902
2006 Baja Invitational	309-309-310=928
2006 Chip-N Club Invitational	317-306-306=929
2006 Bronco Invitational	296-292-296=884
2007 Mountain View Collegiate	287-285-294=866
2007 Bronco Invitational	318-300-328=946
2008 Chip-N Club Invitational	298-295-291=884
2008 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational	(tie) 307-312-307=926
2013 Chip-N Club Invitational	284-296-294=874
2014 Mountain View Collegiate	291-288-295=874
2019 Westbrook Spring Invitational	287-276-290=853
2021 Allstate Sugar Bowl Intercollegiate	294-302-288=884
2021 Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational (B Lineup)	290-291-304=885

Nebraska won the 2005 Chip-N Club Invitational at the Wilderness Ridge Golf Course. The Huskers captured four consecutive Chip-N Club titles from 2003 to 2006.

INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL RECORDS

18-HOLE SCORE 64

KATE SMITH
- Big Ten Championship
  Maineville, Ohio
- April 25, 2021
- Westbrook Spring Invitational
  Peoria, Ariz.
- Feb. 25, 2018

36-HOLE SCORE 131

KATE SMITH
- Westbrook Spring Invitational
  Peoria, Ariz.
- Feb. 25, 2018
- Feb. 23, 2020

54-HOLE SCORE 202

KATE SMITH
- Westbrook Spring Invitational
  Peoria, Ariz.
- Feb. 25-26, 2018

72-Hole Score 301

ELIZABETH BAHENSKY
- NCAA Championships
  Sunriver, Ore.
- May 27, 2000

STEPHANIE RUIZ
- NCAA Championships
  Columbus, Ohio
- May 26, 2006

NEBRASKA IN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

BIG EIGHT TEAM/INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

Year	Champion	NU Finish	Individual Champion
1976	Nebraska (684)	1st (684)	Lindsey Wetzel (Oklahoma, 164)
1977	Oklahoma State (671)	4th (705)	Patty Zimmer (Oklahoma State, 158)
1978	Oklahoma (653)	5th (675)	Alicia Ogrin (Oklahoma State, 154)
1979	Oklahoma State (949)	4th (1,023)	Alicia Ogrin (Oklahoma State, 232)
1980	Oklahoma State (930)	5th (991)	Val Skinner (Oklahoma State, 225)
1981	Oklahoma (922)	4th (972)	Dorea Mitchell (Oklahoma State, 227)
1982	Oklahoma State (917)	4th (992)	Val Skinner (Oklahoma State, 216)
1983	Nebraska (953)	1st (953)	Janice Burba (Oklahoma State, 233)
1984	Oklahoma State (934)	2nd (959)	Robin Hood (Oklahoma State, 224)
1985	Oklahoma State (934)	6th (1,027)	Lisa Stone (Oklahoma State, 231)
1986	Oklahoma State (924)	3rd (955)	Robin Hood (Oklahoma State, 220)
1987	Oklahoma State (912)	6th (989)	Eva Dahloff (Oklahoma State, 228)
1988	Oklahoma State (944)	5th (1,011)	Eva Dahloff (Oklahoma State, 234)
1989	Oklahoma State (935)	4th (964)	Eva Dahloff (Oklahoma State, 229)
1990	Kansas (936)	5th (968)	Marnie McGuire (Oklahoma State, 230)
1991	Oklahoma (943)	3rd (975)	Cathy Stevens (Oklahoma, 232)
1992	Oklahoma State (914)	7th (977)	Arantxa Sison (Oklahoma State, 220)
1993	Iowa St. (945)	4th (1,007)	Shelley Finnestad (Iowa State, 232)
1994	Oklahoma State (919)	4th (939)	Charlotta Eliasson (Oklahoma State, 221)
1995	Oklahoma State (937)	3rd (985)	Amy Weeks (Oklahoma State, 226)
1996	Oklahoma State (946)	T3rd (974)	**Rachelle Tacha (Nebraska, 227)**

Team Titles by School: Oklahoma State, 14; Oklahoma, 3; Nebraska, 2; Kansas, 1; Iowa State, 1

BIG 12 TEAM/INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

1997	Texas (924)	3rd (945)	Heather Bowie (Texas, 212)
1998	Texas A&M (919)	6th (936)	Isabelle Ros (Texas A&M, 225)
1999	Oklahoma State (906)	8th (929)	Maria Boden (Oklahoma State, 219)
2000	Oklahoma (916)	3rd (920)	Amelia Moses (Missouri, 222)
2001	Oklahoma State (925)	5th (958)	Maria Boden (Oklahoma State, 227)
2002	Oklahoma State (909)	7th (952)	Emma Zackrisson (Oklahoma State, 223)
2003	Oklahoma State (909)	5th (926)	**Sarah Sasse (Nebraska, 220)**
2004	Texas (592/36 Holes)	10th (622)	Annie Thurman (Oklahoma State, 137)
2005	Oklahoma State (900)	7th (942)	Annie Thurman-Young (Oklahoma State, 212)
2006	Texas A&M (899)	T4th (927)	Ashley Knoll (Texas A&M, 215)
2007	Texas A&M (911)	4th (936)	Amanda Costner (Kansas, 221)
2008	Oklahoma State (912)	6th (968)	Jaclyn Sweeney (Oklahoma State, 225)
2009	Oklahoma State (909)	10th (953)	Ashley Freeman (Texas A&M, 225)
2010	Texas A&M (896)	8th (919)	Caroline Hedwall (Oklahoma State, 210)
2011	Texas (872)	10th (909)	Madison Pressel (Texas, 208)

BIG TEN TEAM/INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

2012	Michigan State (885)	6th (908)	Laura Gonzalez (Purdue, 216)
2013	Northwestern/Purdue (884)	11th (935)	Paula Reto (Purdue, 212)
2014	Michigan State/Ohio State (895)	10th (931)	Jessica Porvasnik (Ohio State, 216)
2015	Northwestern/Ohio State (863)	13th (917)	Sarah Cho (Northwestern, 213)
2016	Northwestern/Ohio State (852)	13th (890)	August Kim (Purdue, 207)
2017	Michigan State (866)	12th (944)	Elodie Van Dievoet (Michigan, 210)
2018	Michigan State (859)	13th (905)	Jaclyn Lee (Ohio State, 207)
2019	Ohio State (575)	13th (609)	Melati Putri/Nicolette Schroeder (Purdue, 138)
2020	No Championship Held		Coronavirus Pandemic
2021	Michigan State (853)	T2nd (858)	**Kate Smith (Nebraska, 207)**
2022	Michigan (857)	7th (875)	Monet Chun (Michigan, 205)

Team Titles: Ohio State, 15; Michigan State, 9; Indiana, 7; Purdue, 6; Northwestern 3; Michigan, 1; Minnesota, 1; Iowa, 1; Wisconsin, 1

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS

TEAM

Lowest Winning Score (54 Holes)	852	Northwestern (284-286-282), Ohio State (291-281-280), 2016
Lowest Winning Score (72 Holes)	1,158	Purdue, 2010 (289-292-294-294)
Largest Margin of Victory (54 Holes)	41	Ohio State, 1983
Largest Margin of Victory (72 Holes)	58	Indiana, 1986

INDIVIDUAL

Lowest Winning Score (54 Holes)	**207 (-9)**	**Kate Smith, Nebraska, 2021 (72-71-64)**
		August Kim, Purdue, 2016 (69-71-67)
		Jaclyn Lee, Ohio State, 2018 (66-68-73)
	205 (-8)	Monet Chun, Michigan (70-66-69)
Lowest Score, One Round	**64**	**Kate Smith, 2021 (3rd)**
Lowest Score, After Two Rounds	137	Brooke Ferrell, Wisconsin, 2016 (65-72, -7)
	136	Monet Chun, Michigan, 2022 (70-66, -6)
Lowest First-Round Score	65	Brooke Ferrell, Wisconsin, 2016
Lowest Second-Round Score	65	Ashley Bauer, Michigan, 2010
Lowest Third-Round Score	**64**	**Kate Smith, Nebraska, 2021**
Lowest Fourth-Round Score	69	Maria Hernandez, Purdue, 2008
		Laura Gonzalez, Purdue, 2010
		Kris Yoo, Wisconsin, 2011
Lowest Winning Score (72 Holes)	280	Laura Gonzalez, Purdue, 2010 (71-70-70-69)

Nebraska's first season in the Big Ten Conference was 2012. The first Big Ten Team Championship was conducted in 1982. A 54-hole tournament was held in 1982, 1983, 1984, 1996, 2012 through 2019. A 72-hole tournament was held from 1985 through 1995 and from 1997 through 2011.

Kate Smith won the 2021 Big Ten Conference individual championship with the best final round (64) in tournament history to surge to a three-round total of 207 (-9).

2022 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, April 22-24

Rk.	Team	Total
1.	Michigan	285-281-291=857 (+5)
2.	Michigan State	282-288-291=861 (+9)
T3.	Ohio State	289-288-291=864 (+12)
T3.	Northwestern	289-281-294=864 (+12)
5.	Illinois	288-284-298=870 (+18)
6.	Maryland	288-289-296=873 (+21)
7.	**Nebraska**	**294-289-292=875 (+23)**
8.	Purdue	285-299-294=878 (+26)
9.	Wisconsin	299-289-293=881 (+29)
10.	Penn State	304-296-292=892 (+40)
11.	Rutgers	296-305-302=903 (+51)
12.	Minnesota	299-301-309=909 (+57)
13.	Indiana	313-303-306=922 (+70)
14.	Iowa	309-307-312=928 (+76)

2022 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Individual Results

Rk.	Golfer, Team	Total
1.	Monet Chun, Michigan	70-66-69=205 (-8)
2.	Faith Choi, Ohio State	71-71-67=209 (-4)
3.	Jennifer Cai, Northwestern	71-68-72=211 (-2)
4.	**Kirsten Baete, Nebraska**	**71-73-68=212 (-1)**
5.	Maria Vittoria Corbi, Maryland	69-71-74=214 (+1)
T6.	Emily Lauterbach, Wisconsin	72-74-69=215 (+2)
T6.	Patricie Mackova, Maryland	70-74-71=215 (+2)
T6.	Crystal Wang, Illinois	72-66-77=215 (+2)
T6.	Lauryn Nguyen, Northwestern	74-70-71=215 (+2)
T6.	Leila Raines, Michigan State	68-74-73=215 (+2)
T17.	**Michaela Vavrova, Nebraska**	**68-73-79=220 (+7)**
T24.	**Vanessa Bouvet, Nebraska**	**78-71-72=221 (+8)**
T33.	**Megan Whittaker, Nebraska**	**77-72-74=223 (+10)**
T73.	**Nicole Hansen, Nebraska**	**81-77-78=236 (+23)**
T80.	**Miu Takahashi, Nebraska**	**82-77-82=241 (+28)**

NEBRASKA IN NCAA COMPETITION

TEAM NCAA REGIONAL SCORES

1994 NCAA WEST REGIONAL
Championship Golf Course of New Mexico
Albuquerque, N.M., May 12-14

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Stephanie Flood	77	82	78	237
Kim Lefler	80	76	77	233
Melissa Odell	77	82	77	231
Michelle Patterson	80	85	78	243
Heidi Wall	79	77	76	232
Team (Count Four)	313	312	308	933

NU Finish: 16th/19

1995 NCAA WEST REGIONAL
Randolph North Park Golf Course
Tucson, Ariz., May 11-13

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Molly Mullin	76	81	75	232
Michelle Patterson	76	80	76	232
Maureen Regan	82	80	83	245
Rachelle Tacha	75	74	78	227
Heidi Wall	70	77	79	226
Team (Count Four)	297	311	308	916

NU Finish:12th/20

1996 NCAA WEST REGIONAL
The Champions Club Golf Course
Omaha, Neb., May 9-11

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Molly Mullin	81	81	80	242
Michelle Patterson	83	87	85	255
Maureen Regan	81	91	89	261
Heidi Stark	73	79	81	233
Rachelle Tacha	71	77	85	233
Team (Count Four)	306	324	331	961

NU Finish: 11th/20

1997 NCAA WEST REGIONAL
Randolph North Park Golf Course
Tucson, Ariz., May 8-10

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Hanne Nyquist	74	76	76	226
Elizabeth Bahensky	75	76	76	227
Shirin Hornecker	73	79	78	230
Rachelle Tacha	79	76	76	231
Maureen Regan	79	74	79	232
Team (Count Four)	301	302	306	909

NU Finish: 14th/20

2000 NCAA WEST REGIONAL
Karsten Golf Course
Tempe, Ariz., May 8-10

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Elizabeth Bahensky	76	76	77	229
Catha Fogelberg	77	76	73	226
Amy Roux	73	76	75	224
Sarah Sasse	72	74	74	220
Amanda Sutcliffe	84	81	85	250
Team (Count Four)	298	302	299	899

NU Finish: 9th/24

2001 NCAA CENTRAL REGIONAL
Birck Boilermaker Golf Course
West Lafayette, Ind., May 10-12

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Sarah Sasse	76	72	78	226
Amy Roux	80	76	79	235
Catha Fogelberg	82	76	83	241
Amanda Sutcliffe	81	82	81	244
Amanda Krane	89	85	86	260
Team (Count Four)	319	306	321	946

NU Finish: 10th/21

2002 NCAA CENTRAL REGIONAL
Forest Akers West Golf Course
East Lansing, Mich., May 9-11

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Catha Fogelberg	85	81	78	244
Merynn Ito	85	79	84	248
Beth Anne Cherry	84	89	80	253
Stephanie Ruiz	85	84	84	253
Amanda Sutcliffe	85	92	87	264
Team (Count Four)	339	333	326	998

NU Finish: 19th/21

NEBRASKA NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (72 HOLES)

Lowest Final Score:	Elizabeth Bahensky (2000)/Stephanie Ruiz (2006)	301
Lowest Score After One Round:	Stephanie Ruiz (2006)	72
Lowest Score After Two Rounds:	Stephanie Ruiz (2006)	148
Lowest Score After Three Rounds:	Elizabeth Bahensky (2000)	225
Lowest Single-Round Score:	Elizabeth Bahensky (2000, Third Round)	68
Lowest Second-Round Score:	Elli Brown (2006)	74
Lowest Third-Round Score:	Elizabeth Bahensky (2000)	68
Lowest Fourth-Round Score:	Allison Stewart (2006)	73
Best Finish:	Elizabeth Bahensky (2000)	T25th
Lowest Stroke Average:	Elizabeth Bahensky (2000)/Stephanie Ruiz (2006)	75.25

2003 NCAA CENTRAL REGIONAL
Firethorn Golf Course
Lincoln, Neb., May 8-10

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Sarah Sasse	73	75	74	222
Merynn Ito	77	71	80	228
Stephanie Schaefer	81	75	80	236
Stephanie Ruiz	82	77	84	243
Beth Anne Cherry	81	78	87	246
Team (Count Four)	312	298	318	928

NU Finish: 5th/21

2006 NCAA CENTRAL REGIONAL
The Traditions Club
Bryan, Texas, May 11-13

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Stephanie Ruiz	78	76	74	228
Allison Stewart	79	70	81	230
Chrissie McArdle	77	75	79	231
Elli Brown	79	77	77	233
Sara Sackett	80	77	83	240
Team (Count Four)	313	298	311	922

NU Finish: 8th/21

2007 NCAA WEST REGIONAL
The Entrada at Snow Canyon Golf Club
St. George, Utah, May 10-12

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Elli Brown	81	77	75	233
Chrissie McArdle	79	82	80	241
Kate White	83	77	81	241
JC Stevenson	85	79	78	242
Allison Stewart	88	76	83	247
Team (Count Four)	328	309	314	951

NU Finish: 15th/21

2008 NCAA CENTRAL REGIONAL
The University of Texas Golf Course
Austin, Texas, May 8-10

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
JC Stevenson	73	72	75	220
Elli Brown	72	79	72	223
Kate White	73	86	74	233
Charlotte Wendner	76	80	82	238
Allison Stewart	82	75	88	245
Team (Count Four)	294	306	303	903

NU Finish: T10th/21

2012 NCAA CENTRAL REGIONAL
The Ohio State University Scarlet Course
Columbus, Ohio, May 10-12

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Madeleine Sheils	72	80	86	238

2017 NCAA COLUMBUS REGIONAL
The Ohio State University Scarlet Course
Columbus, Ohio, May 8-10

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Kate Smith	78	79	73	230

2021 NCAA COLUMBUS REGIONAL
The Ohio State University Scarlet Course
Columbus, Ohio, May 10-12

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Kate Smith	78	74	74	226
Michaela Vavrova	78	75	76	229
Alice Duan	75	83	73	231
Megan Whittaker	76	82	74	232
Kirsten Baete	85	82	75	242
Team (Count Four)	307	313	296	916

NU Finish: T15th/18

2022 NCAA STANFORD REGIONAL
Stanford Golf Course
Stanford, Calif., May 9-11

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Total
Kirsten Baete	75	76	69	220

NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP SCORES

1990 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS
Arthur Hills Golf Course
Hilton Head, S.C., May 23-26

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Rd. 4	Total
Joanne Brooks	75	81	79	79	314

1996 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS
La Quinta Resort and Club, Dunes Course
La Quinta, Calif., May 22-25

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Rd. 4	Total
Heidi Stark	78	86	84	78	326
Rachelle Tacha	83	77	78	78	316

2000 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS
Crosswater Golf Club
Sunriver, Ore., May 24-27

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Rd. 4	Total
Elizabeth Bahensky	79	78	68	76	301
Catha Fogelberg	79	78	75	82	314
Amy Roux	79	80	81	81	321
Sarah Sasse	74	75	78	77	304
Amanda Sutcliffe	78	85	85	84	332
Team (Count Four)	310	311	302	316	1,239

NU Finish: 19th/24

2001 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS
Mission Inn, El Campeon Course
Howey-In-The-Hills, Fla., May 22-25

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Rd. 4	Total
Sarah Sasse	79	75	81	75	310

2003 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS
Birck Boilermaker Golf Course
West Lafayette, Ind., May 20-23

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Rd. 4	Total
Sarah Sasse	75	79	75	78	307
Stephanie Ruiz	82	85	77	77	321
Stephanie Schaefer	78	84	81	81	324
Merynn Ito	85	85	81	78	329
Beth Anne Cherry	92	89	90	91	362
Team (Count Four)	320	333	314	314	1,281

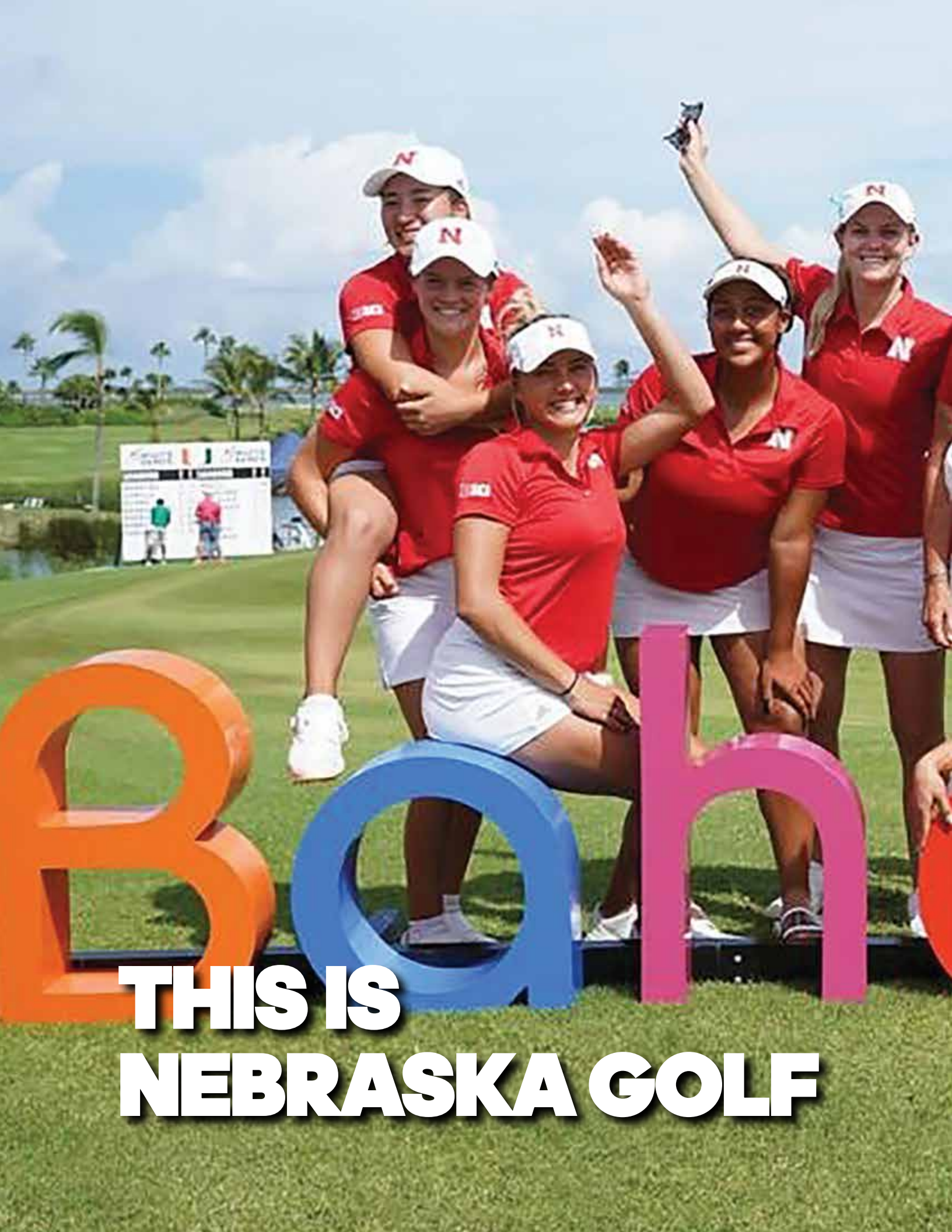
NU Finish: 22nd/24

2006 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS
The Scarlet Course
Columbus, Ohio, May 23-26

Golfer	Rd.1	Rd.2	Rd.3	Rd. 4	Total
Stephanie Ruiz	72	76	78	75	301
Chrissie McArdle	82	78	75	76	311
Elli Brown	76	74	77	82	309
Sara Sackett	81	77	76	75	309
Allison Stewart	87	88	78	73	326
Team (Count Four)	311	305	306	299	1,221

NU Finish: 20th/24

**Scores from Jan Stanard's individual NCAA appearance in 1982 are unavailable.*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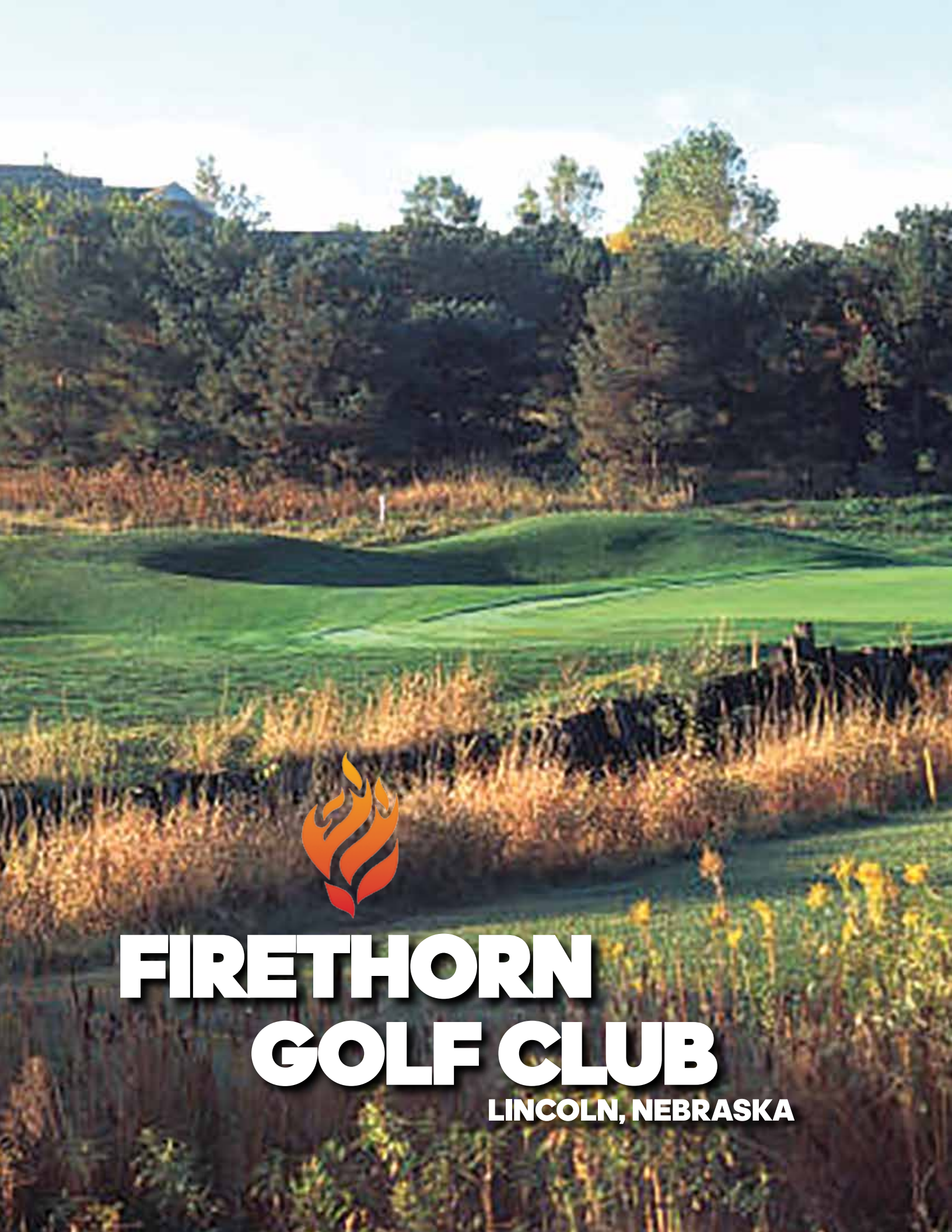

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LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

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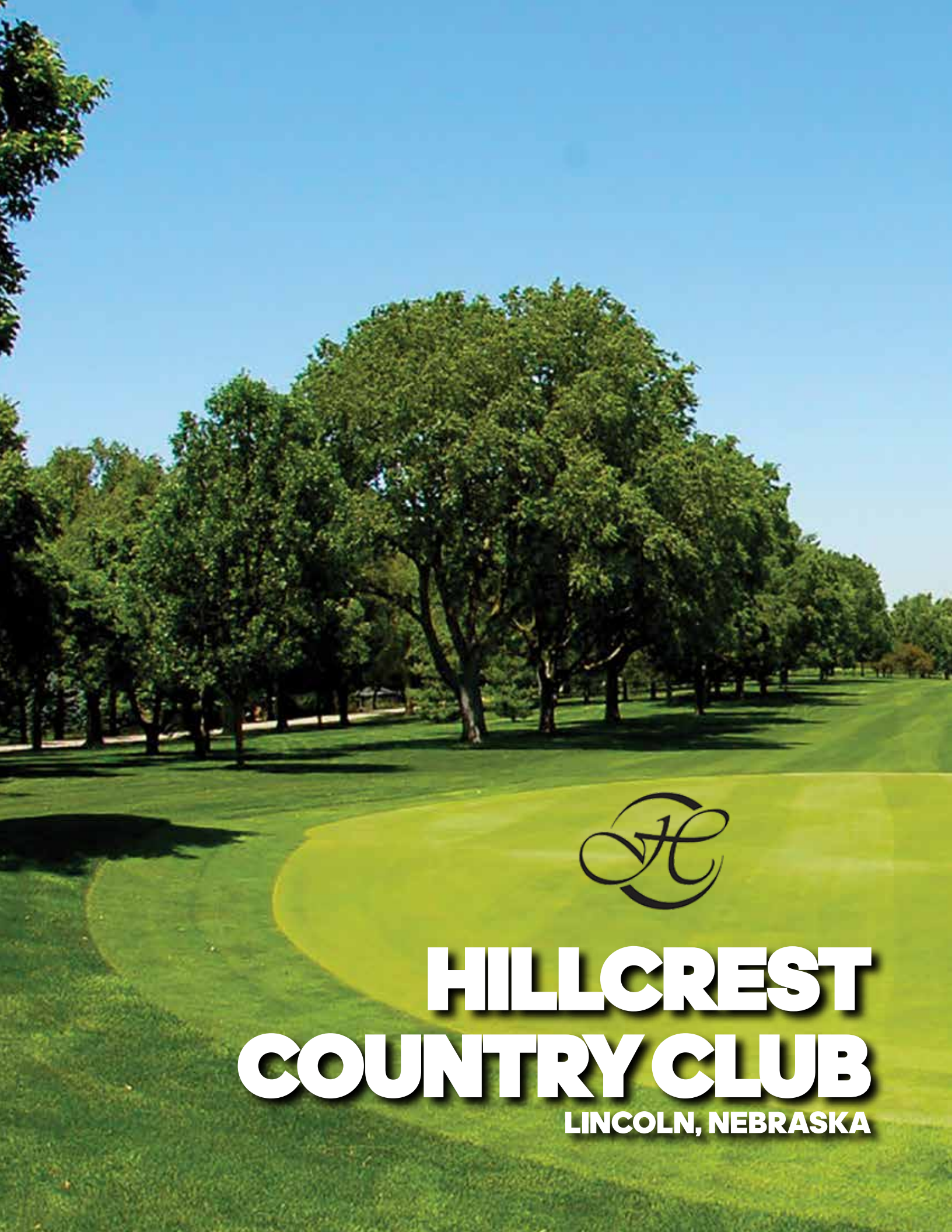

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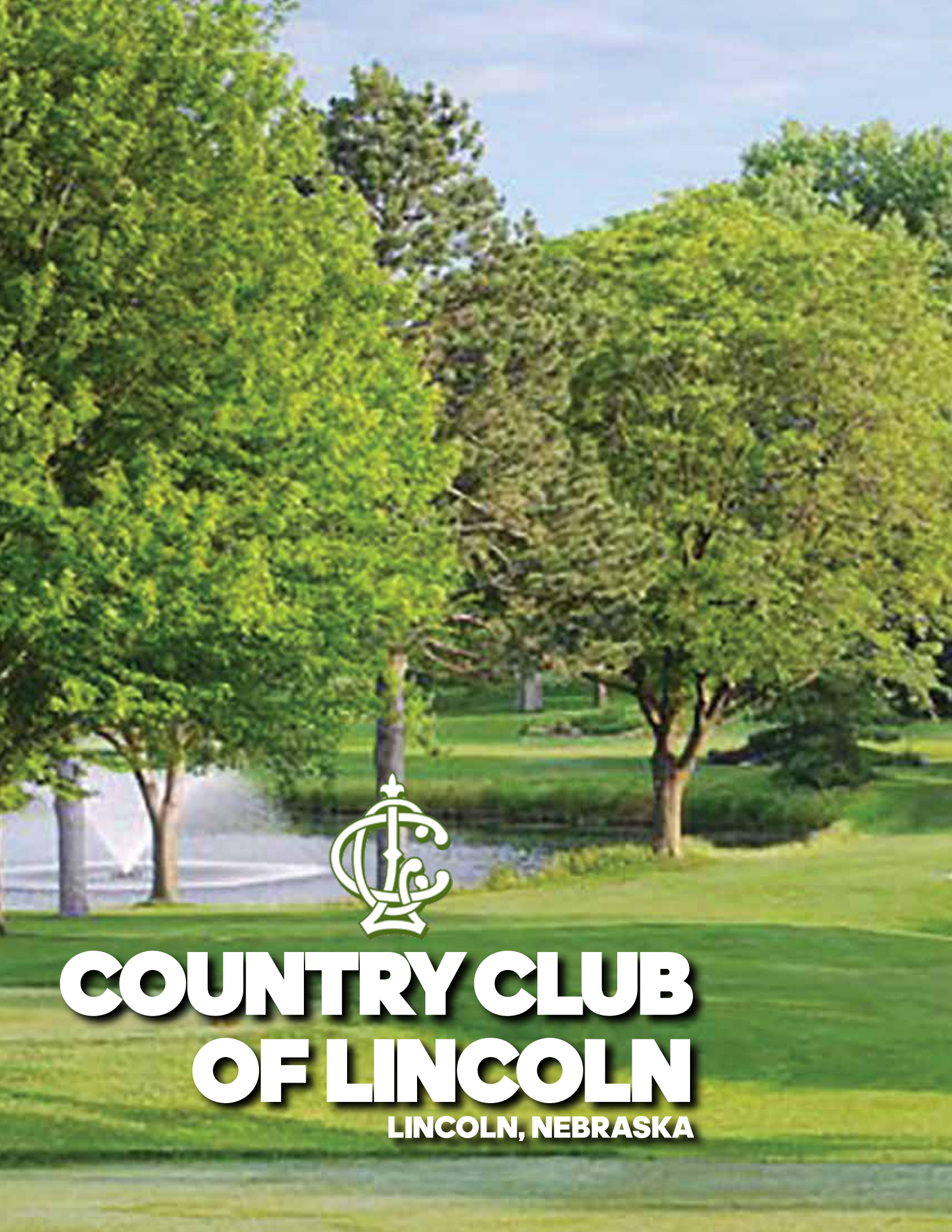
GOLFER'S DESTINATION



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LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

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10 MINUTES FROM CAMPUS

THREE-TIME WOMEN'S TRANS NATIONAL HOST

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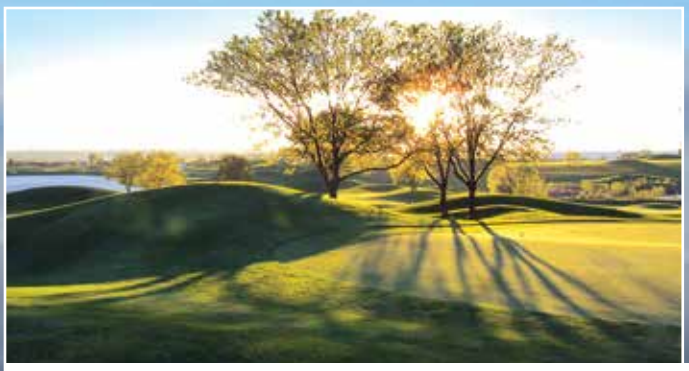
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA



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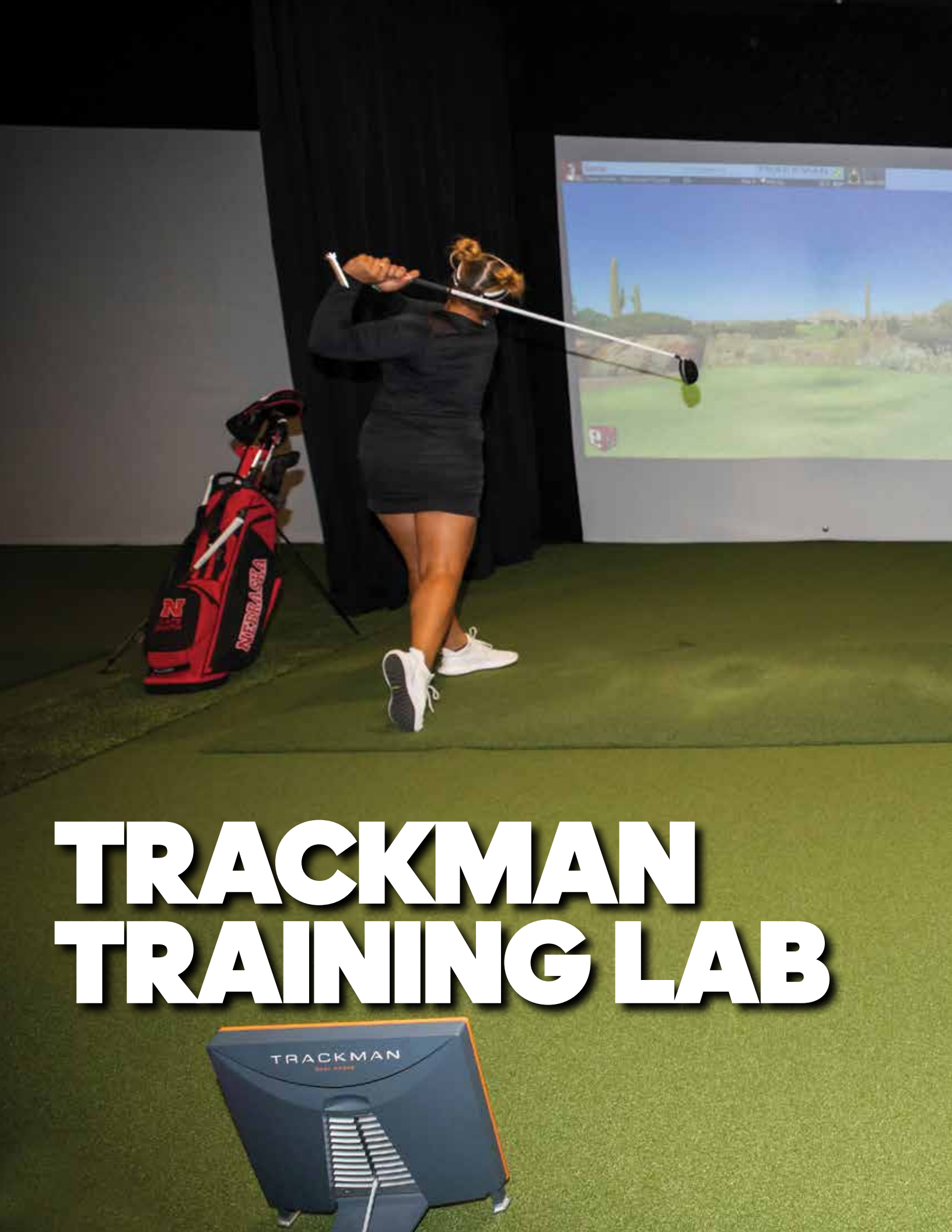

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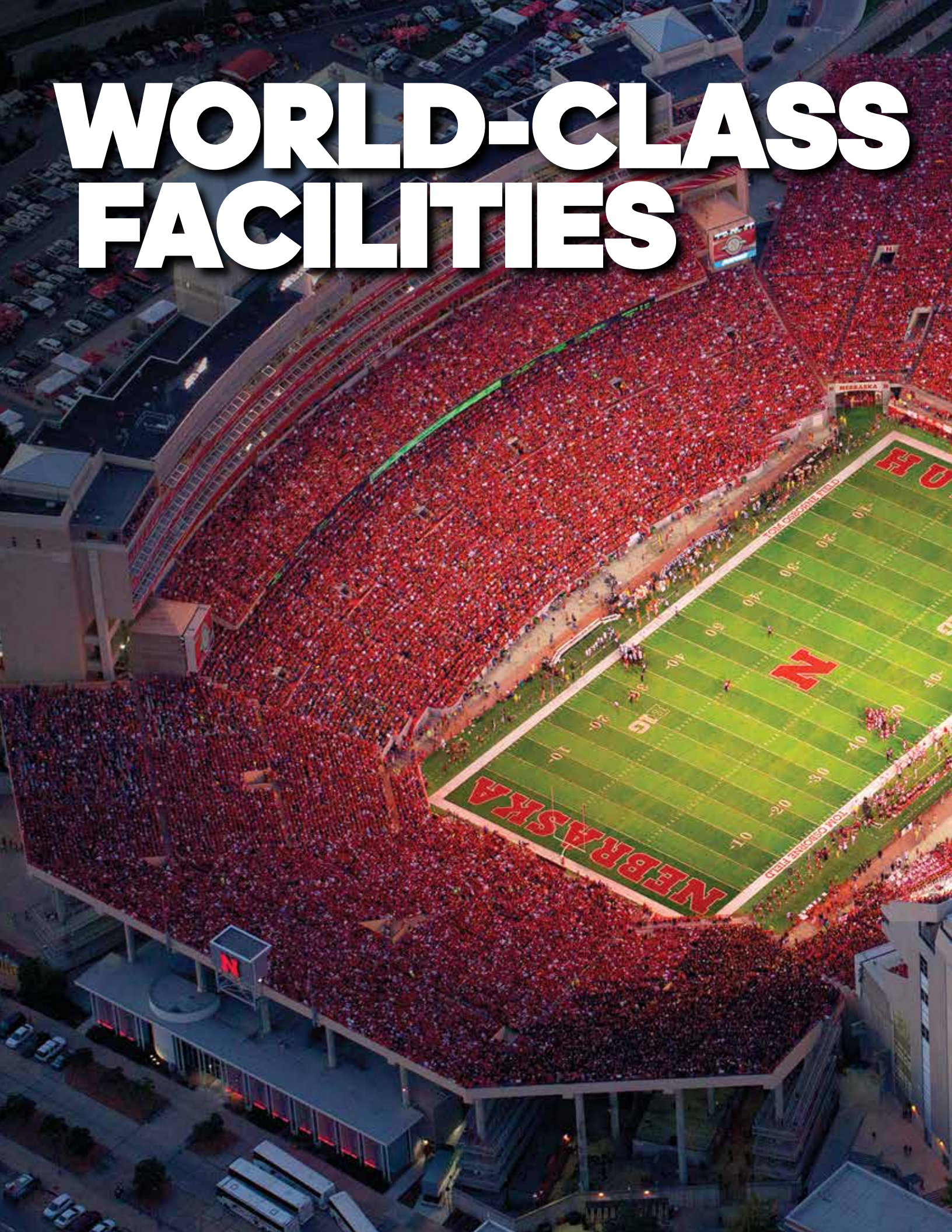

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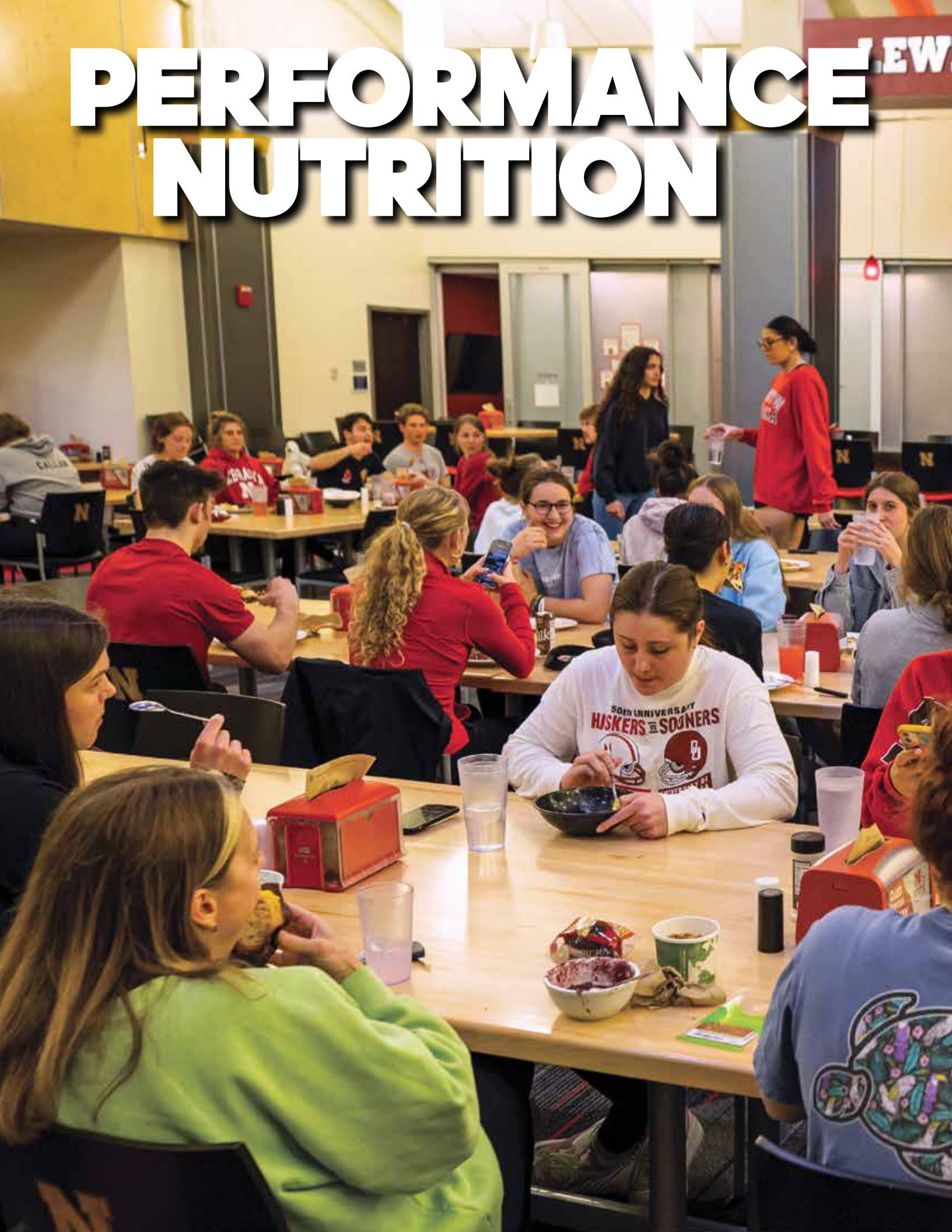
PERFORMANCE NUTRITION



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There is no place like Nebraska when it comes to the high-performance fueling of hard-working athletes. Nebraska Performance Nutrition has a long-standing tradition of setting the highest standard for the 'food first' approach to fueling. The Nebraska Performance Nutrition program is setting the standard for student-athlete welfare across collegiate athletics and beyond.

Nebraska has its own Executive Chef, Mike Steele, who innovates the menus under the guidance of Director of Performance Nutrition, Dave Ellis, who is widely considered to be a thought leader in the high-performance fueling field. Nebraska has its own kitchen and culinary staff and has the ability to source a food supply that is second to none when it comes to fresh, natural and organic sources. Athletes are taught to follow a three-step approach that was conceived right here at Nebraska over three decades ago. It's a simple system, where food is merchandised in three steps, each delivering a health and performance benefit for hard-working athletes.

Husker athletes have the chance to learn how to cook their own food in the Life Skills Kitchen. The staff also provides ready-to-eat food supply and to-go meals that offer fueling solutions when a student-athlete has class conflicts.

Nebraska has four, full-time registered dietitians on staff who help athletes navigate the managed food supply that is served at each meal. The registered dietitians also orchestrate meals on the road for teams and offer fueling solutions before and after workouts or competition. This attention to detail helps get those critically timed sources of fuel and fluids that hard-working muscles require in just the right amounts. To make fueling convenient when training, there are two locations adjacent to the weight rooms where grab-and-go nutrition support is available to all student-athletes.

With over six decades of collective experience, the performance nutrition staff is very knowledgeable on topics including how to help drug-tested athletes avoid inadvertent adverse analytical findings (AAFs/positive drug test) that can result from adulterated dietary supplements.

Other areas that the registered dietitians can help personalize programs:

- Lean Mass Testing
- Frame Testing
- Off-Season Body Composition Change Planning
- Hydration / Sweat Rate Analysis
- Saliva/Urine/Blood Analysis
- Cooking / Grocery Shopping Classes
- Dietary Supplement Review

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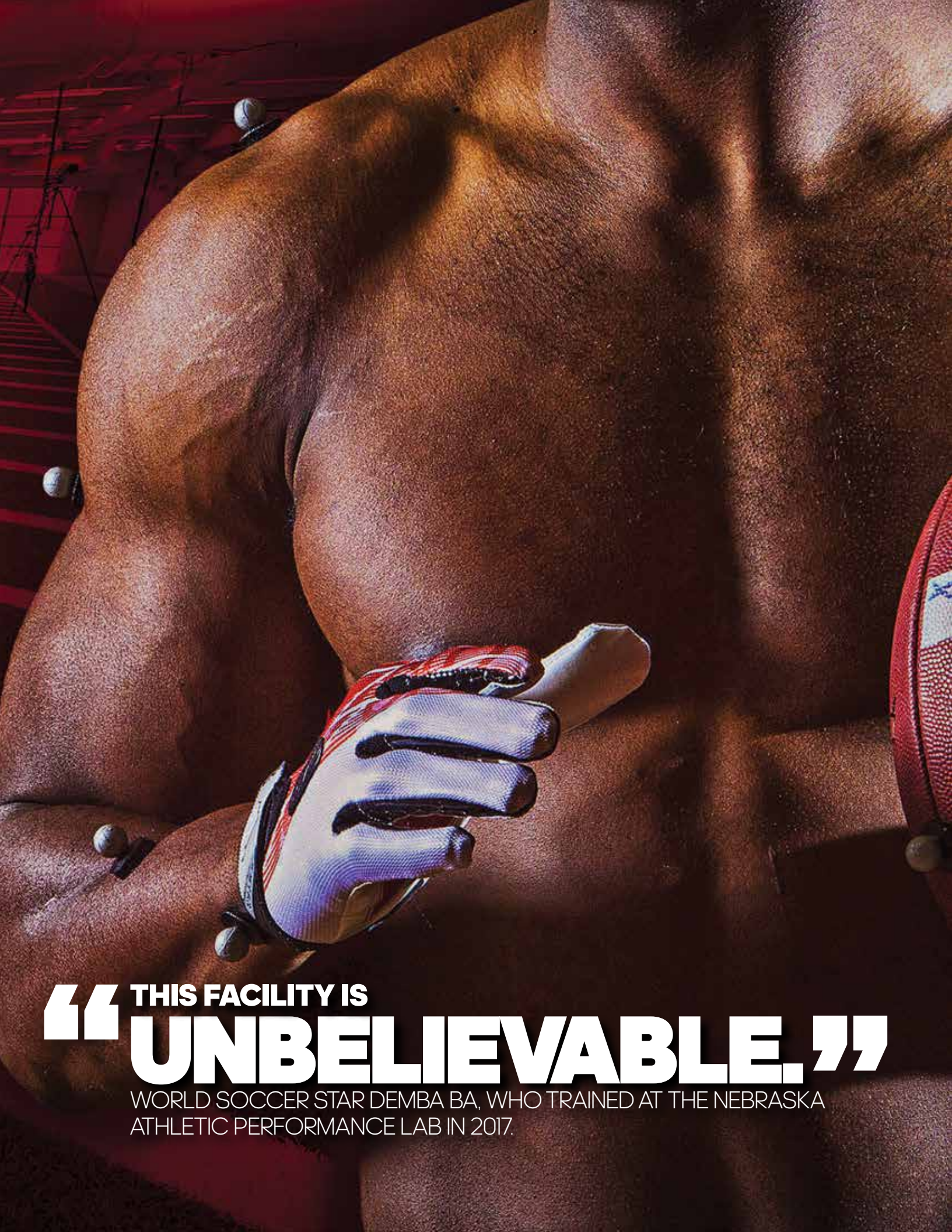
NEEBRASKA ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE LAB

A ONE-OF-A-KIND RESEARCH AND TESTING FACILITY THAT PROVIDES NEBRASKA STUDENT-ATHLETES WITH THE LATEST ADVANCEMENTS IN EQUIPMENT, TRAINING TECHNIQUES AND MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY.

GROUNDBREAKING RESEARCH

STATE-OF-THE-ART EQUIPMENT



“THIS FACILITY IS UNBELIEVABLE.”

WORLD SOCCER STAR DEMBA BA, WHO TRAINED AT THE NEBRASKA ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE LAB IN 2017.

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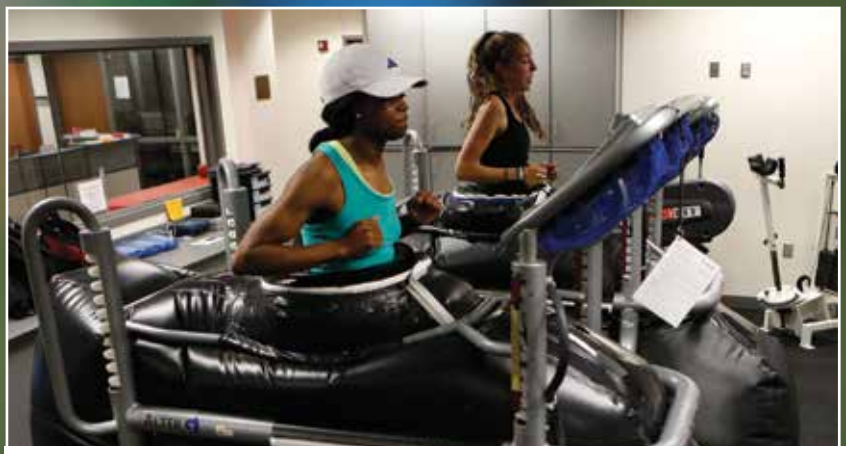
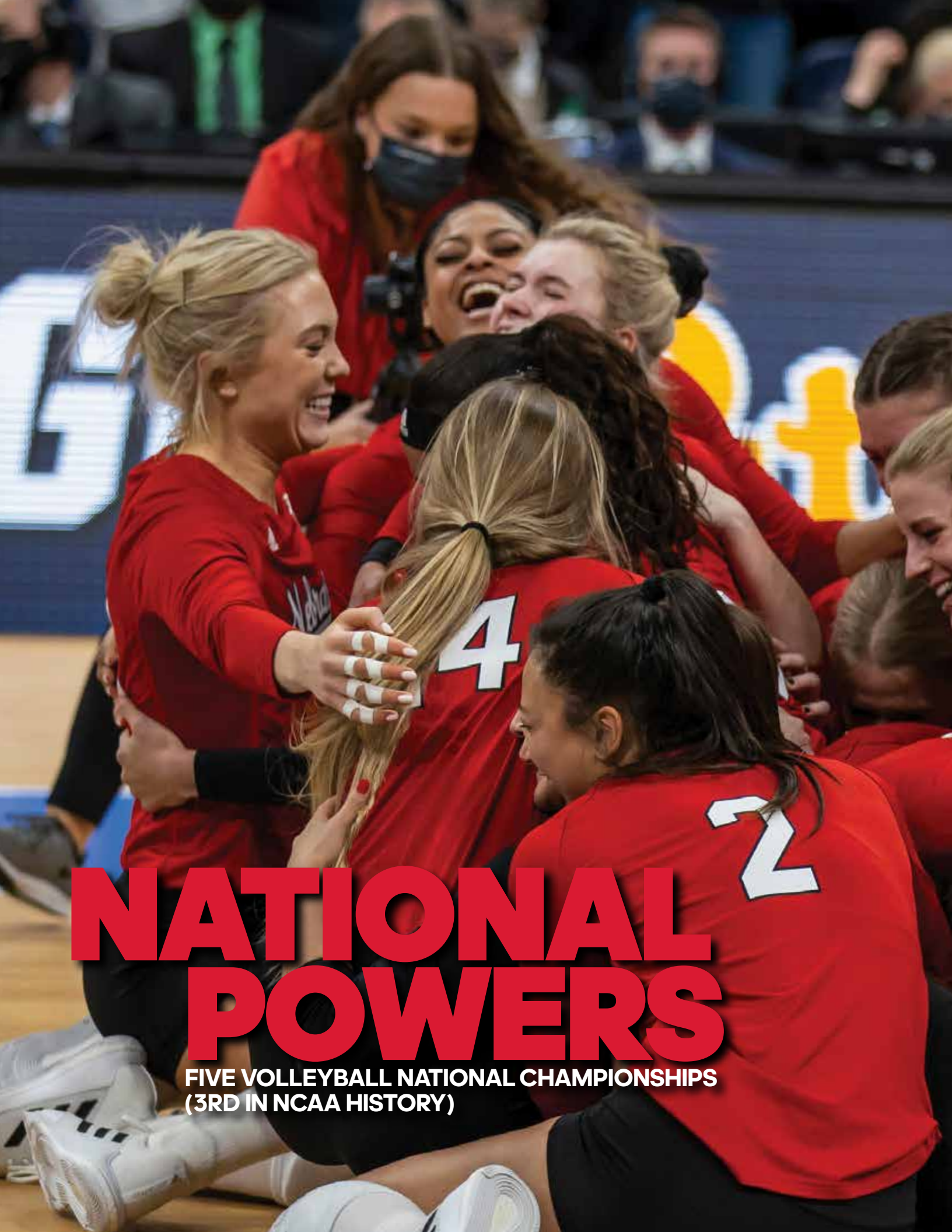
ATHLETIC MEDICINE



ALTER-G TREADMILLS

HYDROTHERAPY POOLS

ON-SITE X-RAY FACILITY



NATIONAL POWERS

FIVE VOLLEYBALL NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
(3RD IN NCAA HISTORY)

5 NATIONAL TITLES
(2ND MOST SINCE 1970)

FOOTBALL

8 NATIONAL TITLES
(4TH IN NCAA HISTORY)

MEN'S GYMNASTICS

8 NATIONAL TITLES
(MOST IN NCAA HISTORY)

BOWLING

3 INDOOR
NATIONAL TITLES
(4TH IN NCAA HISTORY)

WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD

MEGAN WHITTAKER
FOUR-TIME WGCA SCHOLASTIC ALL-AMERICAN

ACADEMIC SUCCESS

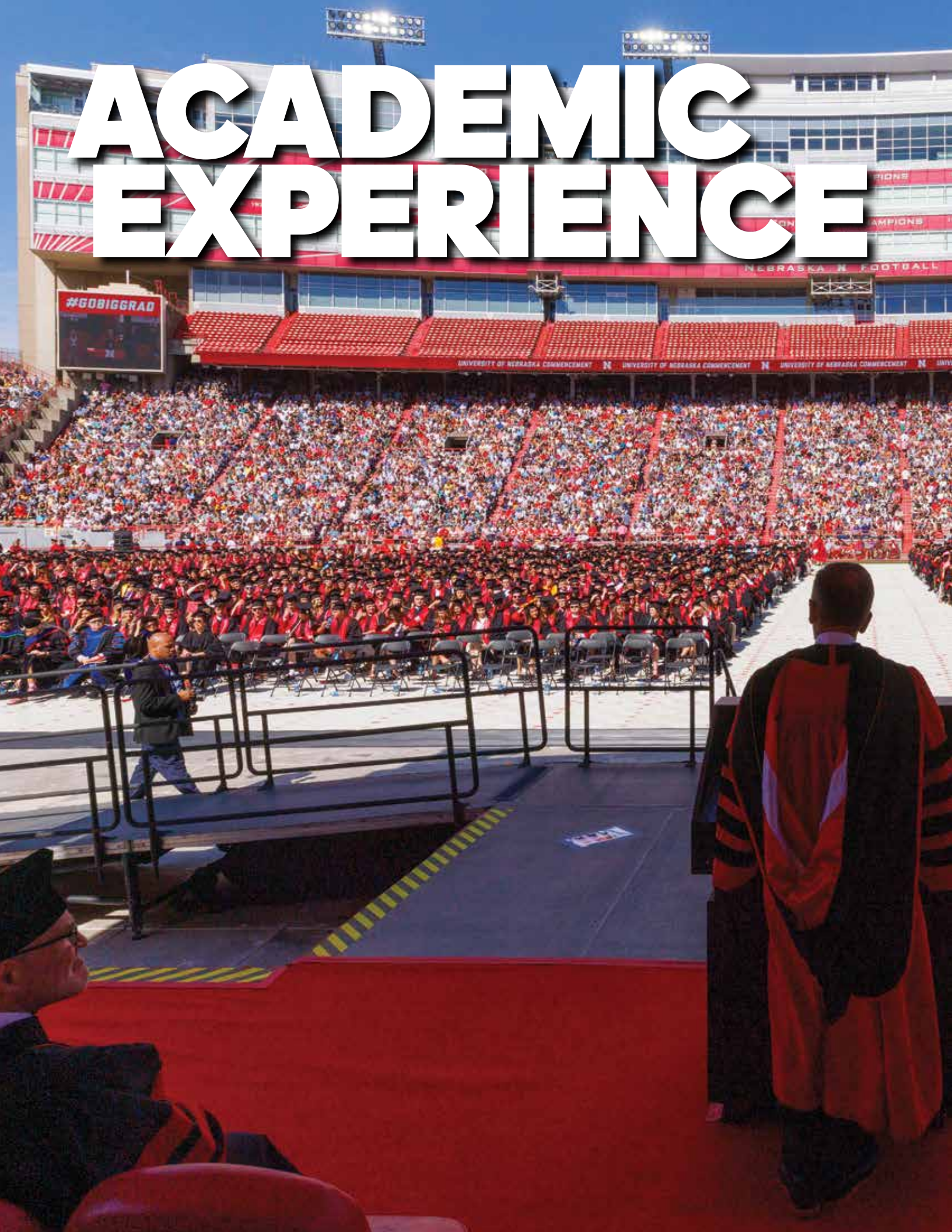
KIRSTEN BAETE, NEBRASKA OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR

VANESSA BOUVET, MAY 2022 GRADUATE

NICOLE HANSEN, MAY 2022 GRADUATE

KATE SMITH, 2021 MAY GRADUATE

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE



ANTON STEPHENSON
MEN'S GYMNASTICS

2020 NCAA TODAY'S TOP TEN AWARD

ANGELA MERCURIO
TRACK & FIELD

2019 NCAA WOMAN OF THE YEAR

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS
DIVISION I SCHOOLS, ALL-TIME

Nebraska	348
Stanford	295
Notre Dame	275

ACADEMIC COUNSELING
Eight academic counselors, three learning specialists, two assistant academic counselors and one administrative assistant are in place to monitor daily academic progress, receive consistent course feedback, assist with the advising/registration process and monitor eligibility and progress toward graduation.

TUTORIAL SUPPORT
A tremendous resource for all academic abilities, unlimited tutorial support from approximately 75-100 tutors on staff is available from day one up to college graduation in all subject areas. Tutorial support is provided both in-person and virtually. Nebraska's tutorial program is certified as a model tutoring program by the College Reading and Learning Association.

STUDY HALL
Student-athletes attend a supervised, flex-time study hall within the Herman Student Life Complex that features day, evening and weekend hours. Student-athletes are required to complete a specific number of study hours each week as determined by their academic counselor and/or coach. Additional performance-based or tutor-based study hall also may be determined by the academic counselor.

MENTORING
Academic staff serve as mentors to all incoming student-athletes. The student-athletes meet with their mentor weekly to develop time management skills, gather and report academic progress information and discuss academic success strategies.

EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENTS
Assessments are administered upon the request of the student-athlete, academic counselor, or coach. Learning specialists are available to administer and score informal assessments, which include a reading comprehension and a writing assessment. When more in-depth assessments are necessary, referrals are made to a consulting neuropsychologist who conducts the assessments. If it is determined a student-athlete has a learning disability or another medical condition that impedes the student from reaching their academic potential, appropriate accommodations are implemented by the Office of Services for Students with Disabilities.

STUDENT-ATHLETE ORIENTATION
Each new student-athlete attends an orientation at the beginning of their academic career. Student-athletes are introduced to staff, faculty, administrators, and a variety of resources that help facilitate the transition into college while enhancing awareness of support services in the Athletic Department and across campus.

PERSONAL COUNSELING
Student-athletes will find a supportive and caring environment at Nebraska. Transitional issues, stress management, time management, academic focus and problem resolution are all addressed in a proactive manner throughout the year. If necessary, counseling referrals are also made to designated practitioners.

COMPUTER RESOURCES
All student-athletes are provided the opportunity to have a laptop for use during their academic career at Nebraska. The Herman Student Life Complex has printers and desktop computers available for student-athletes to use in the facility.

LIFE SKILLS

SARAH SASSE, ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

HALEY THIELE, HEART & SOUL AWARD

LINDSEY THIELE, SAM FOLTZ 27 HERO AWARD

KIRSTEN BAETE, SAM FOLTZ 27 HERO AWARD

A LIFETIME EXPERIENCE

PERSONALIZED NUTRITION PLANS

FREE MACBOOK AIR LAPTOPS

STUDENT-ATHLETE EXPERIENCE

Nebraska is a leader in providing all the resources and support necessary for student-athletes to become successful in Academics, Athletics and Life. Nebraska will continue to strategically plan for avenues to strengthen the resources to support more than 600 Husker student-athletes across 24 sports.

UNMATCHED SUPPORT

Nebraska has a history of providing unmatched benefits and support to student-athletes. A few examples of these enhanced benefits for Husker student-athletes include:

- All scholarship student-athletes have their scholarship calculated based on the full cost of attendance.
- Each student-athlete is offered a free Apple MacBook Air laptop computer to enhance their learning opportunities.
- Nebraska has increased resources and support in all academic and performance related areas including but not limited to Academic Services, Life Skills, Athletic Medicine, Athletic Training, Strength and Conditioning, Nebraska Athletic Performance Laboratory, Nutrition and Sports Analytics.
- The N-Vest Nebraska program begins in the fall of 2022. N-Vest Nebraska will reward Husker scholarship student-athletes for academic performance, success toward graduation and retention. NU student-athletes who meet the established academic benchmarks will receive $5,980 per year for their academic achievement.
- As part of Nebraska's innovative Post-Eligibility Opportunity (PEO) program, every student-athlete graduate who has exhausted their athletic eligibility has the opportunity to pursue (with Nebraska support) an internship, participate in a study abroad program or attend graduate school within the University of Nebraska system.

#NILBRASKA

In the summer of 2021, Nebraska Athletics introduced #NILbraska, an initiative to educate student-athletes on branding, marketing and financial literacy, among other aspects. #NILNebraska prepares student-athletes to take advantage of Name, Image and Likeness legislation.

The #NILbraska program focuses on a three-pronged approach to providing education for student-athletes to maximize their potential in the NIL category: Ready Now, Accelerate and the Husker Advantage.

#NILBRASKA

A UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN INITIATIVE

READY NOW

OPENDORSE PROGRAM

EDUCATION

UNLOCKING THE STUDENT-ATHLETE'S ABILITY TO UNDERSTAND AND BUILD THEIR PERSONAL BRAND WHILE PUTTING THEMSELVES IN POSITIONS OF SUCCESS

ASSESSMENT

AN INDIVIDUALIZED ANALYSIS OF A STUDENT-ATHLETE'S SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS TO HELP IDENTIFY AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT

PERFORMANCE

WHERE THE STUDENT-ATHLETE PLANS, SETS GOALS AND TAKES ACTION TOWARDS CONTINUOUSLY BUILDING AND LEVERAGING THEIR PERSONAL BRAND

ACCELERATE

CAMPUS PROGRAM

IDENTIFY

IDENTIFY TALENTS AND STRENGTHS

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CLIFTON STRENGTHS INSTITUTE (GALLUP – ONLY ONE IN THE COUNTRY) IDENTIFY YOUR TALENT DNA

•

BUILDER PROFILE 10 – IDENTIFY YOUR ENTREPRENEURIAL ATTRIBUTES

STRENGTHEN

CLIFTON STRENGTHS INSTITUTE

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MENTORSHIP

•

POP-UP CLASSES

•

WORKSHOPS AND SPEAKERS

ACTIVATE

NIL ADVISORS

•

STARTUP SERVICES

•

HUSKER VENTURE FUND

•

STARTUP ACCELERATOR

HUSKER ADVANTAGE

LIFE SKILLS PROGRAM

PERSONAL STRENGTHS ASSESSMENT

PURPOSE: TAKE THE CLIFTONSTRENGTHS ASSESSMENT; LEARN HOW TO LEVERAGE THEIR STRENGTHS TO MAXIMIZE THEIR POTENTIAL

BRAND BUILDING & BRAND VALUE ASSESSMENT

PURPOSE: HOW TO ASSESS MARKET VALUE AND HOW TO REPRESENT THEMSELVES ON VARIOUS SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS

COMMUNICATIONS AND NETWORKING

PURPOSE: DEVELOP STRATEGIES TO MARKET AND PROMOTE THEMSELVES TO POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS

FINANCIAL LITERACY AND COMPLIANCE

PURPOSE: UNDERSTAND HOW TO MANAGE PERSONAL FINANCIAL DECISIONS AND NIL LEGISLATION

READY NOW PROGRAM

NIL

- INDIVIDUAL BUSINESS PLAN DEVELOPMENT
- STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION
- CONTENT CREATION
- LIFESKILLS PARTNERSHIP
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- PERSONAL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT EDUCATION

PARTNER WITH N → POSITION YOURSELF FOR THE FUTURE

NEBRASKA WAS THE FIRST TO LAUNCH A PROGRAM TO PREPARE STUDENT-ATHLETES FOR NIL

NEBRASKA IS THE ONLY SCHOOL IN THE COUNTRY TO GET CONSULATANTS AND EDUCATION SESSIONS FOR EVERY STUDENT-ATHLETE

READY NOW
OPENDORSE PROGRAM

GROWTH LESSON

EDUCATION
UNLOCKING THE STUDENT-ATHLETE'S ABILITY TO UNDERSTAND AND BUILD THEIR PERSONAL BRAND WHILE PUTTING THEMSELVES IN POSITIONS OF SUCCESS

COMMENTS
LEAD TO FOLLOWERS

ASSESSMENT
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Huskers

REPLIES
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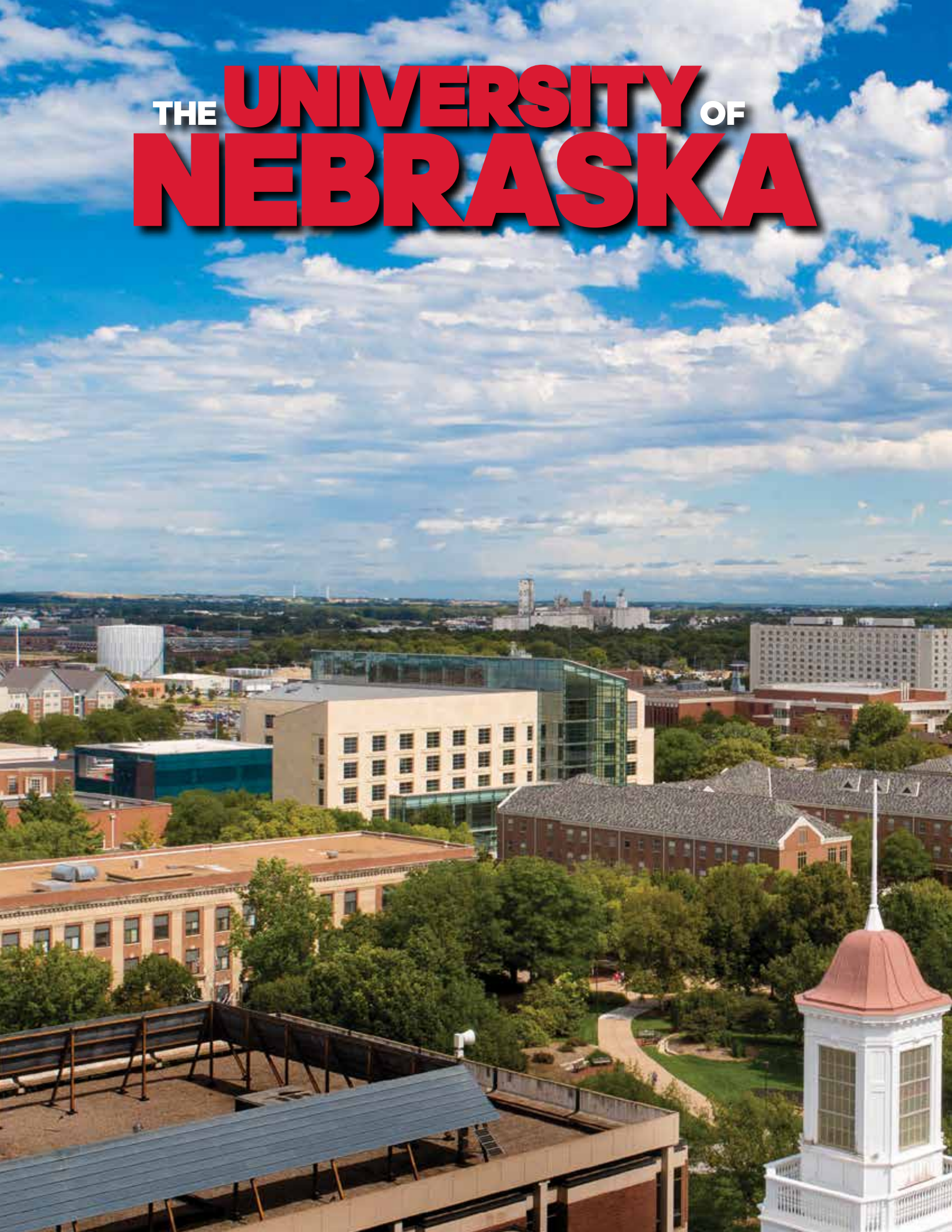
CONVERSATION
CONVERSATION OUTSIDE OF YOUR SPORT (YOUR INTERESTS) LEAD TO FOLLOWS

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA



THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Chartered in Lincoln by the Nebraska Legislature in 1869, the University of Nebraska was expanded in 1968 into a university system now comprising four campuses under the guidance of a Board of Regents and a central administration. The flagship University of Nebraska-Lincoln is an educational institution of international stature. Nebraska is classified within the Carnegie "R1: Doctoral Universities – Highest Research Activity" category. Nebraska is also a land-grant university and a member of the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities. The university is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

BIG TEN ACADEMIC ALLIANCE

As a member of the Big Ten, the University of Nebraska-Lincoln is a member of the Big Ten Academic Alliance (BTAA), formerly the Committee on Institutional Cooperation, which is the academic consortium of the universities in the Big Ten Conference. The BTAA includes all 14 Big Ten Institutions and partners with the University of Chicago. The Big Ten Academic Alliance and the institutions together have annual research expenditures topping $11.5 billion - more than the Ivy League and the University of California System combined - and they educate a total of nearly 600,000 students with approximately 50,000 faculty members.

NATIONAL RANKINGS

- 2018 No. 1 Online MBA in the World for Alumni Salary Increases (*Financial Times*)
- 2018 Top 30 Colleges that Produce the Most CEOs (*Kittleman*)
- 2019 No. 9 Best Online Graduate Education Programs (*U.S. News & World Report*)
- 2021 No. 21 Online Master of Engineering Management Program (*U.S. News & World Report*)
- 2021 No. 17 Best Online MBA Programs (*U.S. News & World Report*)
- 2021 Best Value College (*The Princeton Review*)
- 2021 Ranked Among Top Third of National Universities (*U.S. News & World Report)*
- 2021 No. 13 Best Online MBA Programs (*Princeton Review*)

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

INNOVATION CAMPUS, CITY CAMPUS & DOWNTOWN LINCOLN

75 MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMS

150+ UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

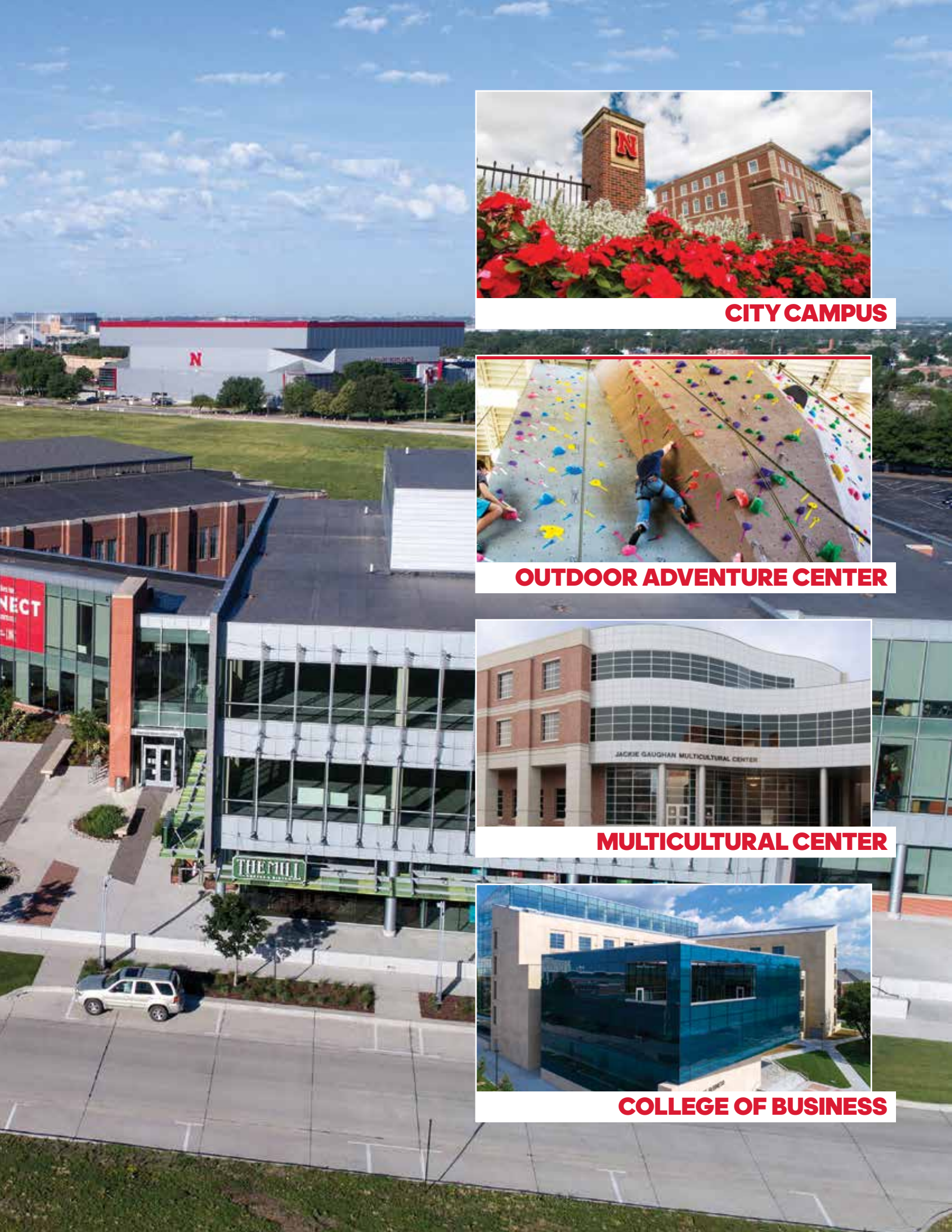
500+ STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

25,390 TOTAL ENROLLMENT

110+ COUNTRIES REPRESENTED

49 STATES REPRESENTED

200,000+ LIVING ALUMNI

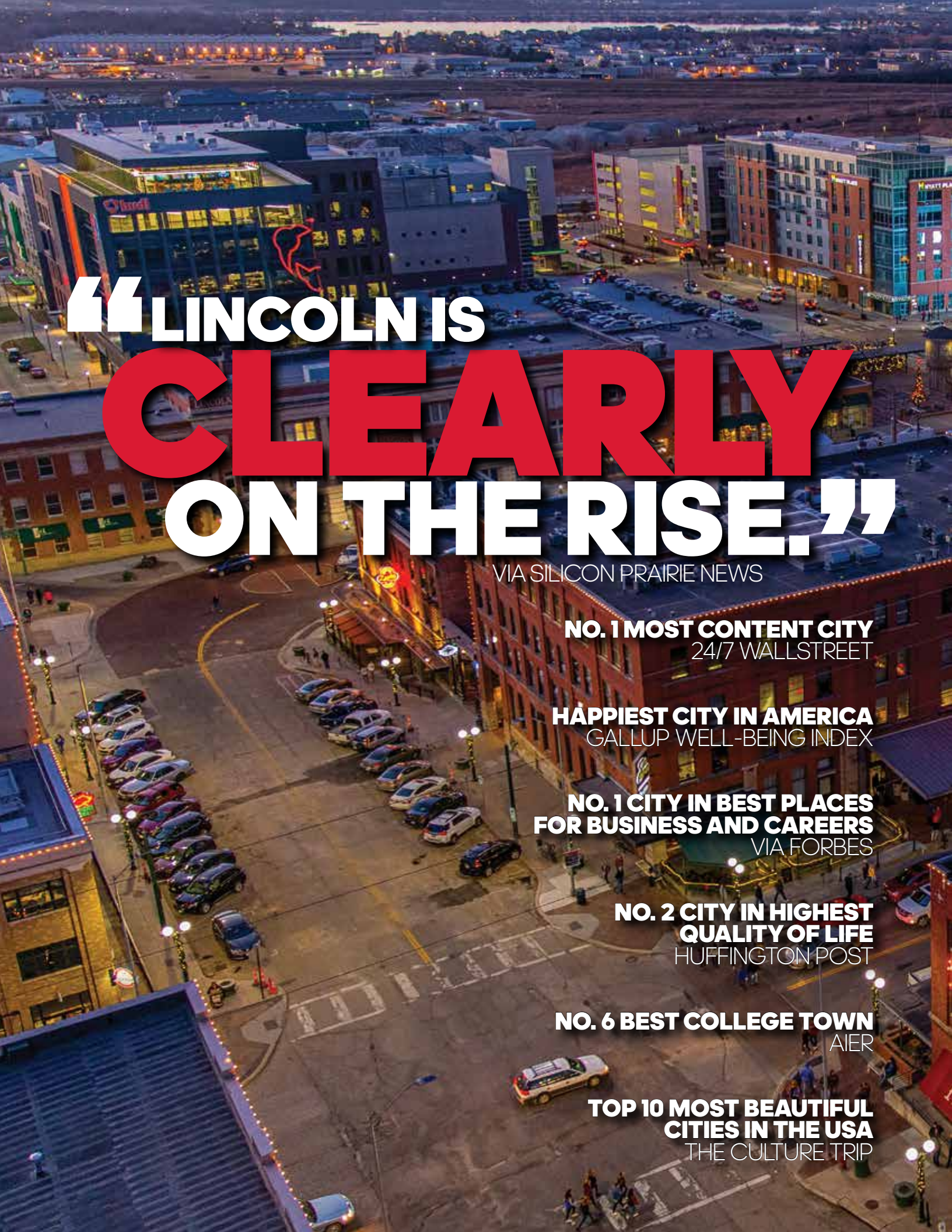


CITY CAMPUS

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CENTER

MULTICULTURAL CENTER

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS



"LINCOLN IS CLEARLY ON THE RISE."

VIA SILICON PRAIRIE NEWS

NO. 1 MOST CONTENT CITY
24/7 WALLSTREET

HAPPIEST CITY IN AMERICA
GALLUP WELL-BEING INDEX

NO. 1 CITY IN BEST PLACES FOR BUSINESS AND CAREERS
VIA FORBES

NO. 2 CITY IN HIGHEST QUALITY OF LIFE
HUFFINGTON POST

NO. 6 BEST COLLEGE TOWN
AIER

TOP 10 MOST BEAUTIFUL CITIES IN THE USA
THE CULTURE TRIP

1 OF THE 75 LARGEST CITIES IN THE U.S.

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NEBRASKA

2022-23 WOMEN'S GOLF SCHEDULE

Sept. 12-13	Green Wave Classic New Orleans, Louisiana (7 a.m.)
Sept. 18-20	Badger Invitational Madison, Wisconsin (9 a.m.)
Oct. 3-4	Big O Classic Omaha, Nebraska (9 a.m.)
Oct. 10-11	Dale McNamara Invitational Broken Arrow, Oklahoma (8:30 a.m.)
Oct. 17-18	Marilynn Smith/Sunflower Invitational Lawrence, Kansas (10 a.m.)
Oct. 31-Nov. 1	Hurricane Invitational Coral Gables, Florida (7 a.m.)
Feb. 6-7	FAU Paradise Invitational Boca Raton, Florida (8 a.m.)
Feb. 26-27	Westbrook Spring Invitational Peoria, Arizona (10 a.m.)
March 13-14	Briar's Creek Invitational John's Island, South Carolina (8 a.m.)
March 17-19	Mountain View Collegiate Tucson, Arizona (10 a.m.)
April 1-2	The Bruzzy Invitational Ardmore, Oklahoma (9 a.m.)
April 15-16	Lady Buckeye Invitational Columbus, Ohio (8 a.m.)
April 21-23	Big Ten Championships Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (8 a.m.)
May 8-10	NCAA Regionals Six Sites
May 19-24	NCAA Championships Scottsdale, Arizona (Grayhawk GC)

All times central and subject to change. For updated schedule information, please visit Huskers.com.